

# OUR GALLOP POLL: IT'S ATTACKS



**INDIANAPOLIS ATTACKS:** Left to right, front, Student Manager Edsel Ford, Oscar Robertson, Bill Scott, Bill Hampton, Principal Russell A. Lane (in front of Hampton), Willie Merriweather, Sheddric Mitchell; back,

Assistant Coach Ray Crowe, Coach Ray Crowe, Recorder Photo by Leonard T. Clark



**GARY ROOSEVELT:** Left to right, front, Dick Barnett, Wilson "Jake" Eisen, Randy Williams, Coach John D. Smith, Charles Ford, Arthester McCriston, Manager Eugene Harris, Jr.; back, Assistant Coaches Louis Mal-

lard and James Dowdell, Leonard Douglas, James Eubanks, Vann Ligon, Maurice Everett, Jerome Ward, Johnny Ford, James Guydon, Principal H. Teo Tatum and Assistant Principal Warren M. Henderson.



**NEW ALBANY:** Left to right, front, Bruce Speed Don, Tucker, Charles Seitz, Jim Henry, Bill Henry, George Everbach; back,

Coach John Givens, Bill Swift, Bob Maier, Jerry Solomon, Harold "Ace" Johnson, Eddie Owens, Jerry Harrison, Assistant Coach Floyd Henry.



**FT. WAYNE NORTH SIDE:** Left to right, front, Bob Meister, Dick Hickox, George Taylor; middle, Jack Heath, Henry Chapman, Ron Stellhorn, Dean Baughman;

back, Ron "Bama" Aldridge, Frank Schollett, Dick Berghoff, Bruce Applegate, Charley Lyons.

## North Pole Explorer Matt Henson Buried

NEW YORK (AP)—Hundreds jammed Harlem's Abyssinian Baptist Church last week for the funeral of Matthew Alexander Henson, the only American with Admiral Robert E. Peary on his final dash to the North Pole, and the man who actually reached the Pole ahead of Peary.

The Rev. Adam Clayton Powell eulogized Henson as one of the great men in American and world history who made a lasting contribution to the progress of the human race.

The 88-year-old explorer, who was termed indispensable by Peary, succumbed to a cerebral hemorrhage last week at St. Clare's hospital, where he had been confined for six weeks.

Henson was the last survivor of the expedition which made world history on a cold, bleak day in the spring of 1909.

For years the actual accomplishments of Henson were unknown, and the first reports said that Peary reached the Pole with a party of Eskimos.

Later it was revealed that

Henson was trailbreaker on the last dramatic spurt and that he actually hit the pole first but overran it about a mile.

PEARY, who was a little because his toes had been frozen off in earlier expeditions, came up on a sled and located the pole.

Together the two men stood in the bleak Arctic air and planted a piece of the stars and stripes in a metal container, together with reports and records.

Henson was one of the most extraordinary explorers in the history of the nation and his rise to fame was in the true fashion of the fictional Horatio Alger.

In interviews after the completion of the mission on April 7, 1909, the admiral praised him highly as a sledge-maker, dog-sled driver and expedition companion.

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## 3 Helpless Tots Victims Of Cruel Deaths In Fire

By JIM CUMMINGS

The tragic Eastside fire which claimed the lives of three young boys early last Sunday morning raised to 22 the number of deaths suffered in local home fires this winter.

Ernest Woodson, 6; Virgil Woodson, 18 months, and Curtis Woodson, five months, died of suffocation and third-degree burns when flames raced through their frame dwelling which was a converted chicken house at the rear of 2536 N. Temple avenue.

The children were dead when firemen reached them. Edward Richardson, 42-year-old baby sitter left with the children by the mother, Mrs. Emma Jean Woodson, 21, managed to escape with his life, fleeing from the place after awakening to find it ablaze.

Richardson, who lives at 2532 Eastern avenue, told police he was asleep in an overstuffed chair in the bedroom of the two-room house when he was awakened by intense heat.

The ceiling was on fire, he said, and the place was filled with smoke.

REALIZING the children were asleep in the room, Richardson staggered around the dark, smoky room searching for the boys but was unable to locate them, he told police.

The middle-aged baby sitter dashed into the yard without his shoes, intending to return and get the boys after getting a breath of fresh air.

When he opened the door to leave, a gush of wind sent the flames roaring through the home and made re-entry impossible.

Mr. Abram Patton and his wife, Dorothy, Mrs. Woodson's uncle and the two policemen tried to enter the front of the house but the flames drove them back.

Flames had not spread completely to the rear and the would-be rescuers hurried to that end of the long, low house. They heard six-year-old Ernest crying and told him to come to the back door.

The little boy managed to get to the back door but was unable to unlock it, and the men were unable to smash it down.



**TOWN BACKS TIGERS:** Mayor Alex M. Clark, with the aid of Scotty Scott, managing editor of The Recorder, plasters his car with a sign telling all the world "Indianapolis Wants A Winner! COME ON, TIGERS!" The signs, distributed everywhere, were contributed by The Recorder. All police cars were decked with the slogans. (Recorder Photo by Jim Cummings)

## "Many Called, Few Chosen"

Attucks' allotment of State Finals tickets were sold before the tickets arrived at the school, Principal Russell A. Lane told The Recorder Thursday.

Attucks received 950 tickets as a member of the Final Foursome and 63 more on the basis of 4 1/2 percent of its enrollment, for a total of 1,013.

Students purchased a surprisingly small number—only 400. Teachers were allotted 216, with clerks, librarians, custodians and cafeteria helpers coming in for 62.

Most of the remaining 305 tickets were distributed to the varsity team and their parents, the coaches and their families, the reserve, freshman and 8th-grade teams.

A few persons selected from the long list of Attucks supporters and a small group of press and radio people were granted duets, as Dr. Lane and his staff tried to distribute the precious passboards on a fair basis.

## Archibald Carey To Talk At YM



**REV. ARCHIBALD CAREY**

A report on the President's new Committee on Employment will be made by Rev. Archibald Carey, Chicago, at the Senate Avenue Y.M.C.A.'s monster mass meeting March 20.

The well known Chicago clergyman, lawyer and alderman attended the presidential conference March 9.

He was recently defeated for reelection as alderman of the Third Ward. The minister of historic Quinn Chapel A.M.E. Church in Chicago, he is being prominently mentioned as a candidate for bishop at the next General Conference.

Cooperating in a fitting welcome for Rev. Carey are A.M.E. ministers. Reverends Jonathan Dames, S. D. Hardrick, H. A. Perry, Elmer Arnold, L. B. Johnson, David Mitcham and Presiding Elder J. P. Q. Wallace.

## Attucks to Win, Jimcrow to Lose

An ardent fan and conscientious believer in democracy, Fred K. Gale, Pendleton, Ind., is willing to risk all on a double-barreled prediction.

His letter to The Recorder this week follows:

"You printed a letter of mine in The Recorder just before the Sectional tournament in which I predicted Attucks would win the State championship.

"Everything since then has tended to bolster that conviction. Coach Crowe and his fine team will surely go on to final victory this week.

"Color prejudice has grown less

## Tigers Are Drivers In Final Foursome

By CHARLES S. PRESTON

Indianapolis stands to get a state champion Saturday night.

Never in 44 years of the high school basketball tournament has a team from the Hoosier capital brought home the crown.

But we're rollin' now! And the "stone which the builders rejected"—until 1943—"is become the head of the corner."

As the thrilling hour of the Final Foursome nears, Crispus Attucks' Flying Tigers are in the driver's seat, and not studying to give up the wheel.

Gary Roosevelt, New Albany and Fort Wayne North Side dispute their claim, pointing out that the favorite seldom wins.

But sports writers almost to a man pick Ray Crowe's dazlers, the conquerors of mighty Muncie Central.

"Let's build up these other three teams all we can," a well-known daily scribe said to fellow writers Monday. "so Attucks can't be the least bit overconfident."

NAP TOWN TEAMS have reached the Big Four 7 times—Tech thrice, Manual, Shortridge, Broad Ripple and Attucks each once. But never within this writer's memory has one of them been a strong favorite. The nearest thing to it was Attucks in '51.

That was Crowe's first Tiger aggregation, the Big Team of Willie Gardner, John Davis, Bob Jewell, Hallie Bryant, Bennie Cook, Tee Tolliver and the rest.

Some of them in flesh and some in spirit will be standing by Saturday to cheer the '55 crew of Oscar Robertson, Willie Merriweather, Sheddric Mitchell, Bill Scott, Bill Hampton, Billy Brown and their teammates.

That experience of four years ago undoubtedly will be helpful to the present Tigers who bring in a 28-1 record and their No. 2 rating on the polls (some said No. 1).

ALSO EXPERIENCED tourney hands are the high-scoring New Albany Bulldogs, who face Attucks at 1 p.m. Saturday.

Three times New Albany has reached the Final Four—in 1911, 1950 and 1952.

The Southern Indiana Conference champs, with a 22-3 mark, are the highest-rated team remaining below Attucks. The pollsters rated them No. 6 and No. 7 as the regular season ended.

A run-and-shoot team, the Bulldogs have a whopping 86.4 scoring average for tournament games—well above Attucks' 74.3. Last week they twice broke the all-time Semi-final mark, scoring 84 against Switz City and 86 over Vincennes.

Defense is said to be their weakness—that and a tendency to wild passes.

Coach John Givens' boys have played three mutual opponents with Attucks. Comparative scores were New Albany 65, Anderson 55 (Attucks 76, Anderson 51); New Albany 89, Manual 61 (Attucks 53, Manual 33; Attucks 87, Manual 36); and New Albany 80, Howe

75 (Attucks 73, Howe 60; Attucks 90, Howe 61).

Shaking all this down gives the Tigers an advantage of 13 points.

In Harold "Ace" Johnson, 6-4 center, the Bulldogs have their first Negro player in history. Which makes this as good a place as any to mention that this will be the first Finals in which all four teams have Negro players. (See another story on page 11).

THE 215 ENCOUNTER will pit Gary Roosevelt's all-sepia jumpers against surprising Ft. Wayne North Side.

Roosevelt, with a 26-2 record, was ranked 10th in the polls. The Panthers are said to play "like Attucks" and even go in for Globetrotter stunts on occasion.

Wilson "Jake" Eisen, 6-7 center, and sharpshooter Dick Barnett are the big guns.

Northside has the worst record (22-6) but has played a rugged schedule. Negro stars are 6-1 Hank Chapman and 6-3 Charley Lyons (nephew of former Attucks coach Fitzhugh Lyons).

Attucks defeated North Side 75-64 in the season's opener.

If the dope holds, Attucks will meet Roosevelt in the first all-Negro final game in U. S. history.

## Route Victory March To Circle

The Flyin' Tigers of Crispus Attucks will ride the "shinest fire truck in town" triumphantly around Monument Circle and back to Northwestern Park for a mammoth victory celebration if they win the state basketball crown Saturday night, it was announced Thursday by Principal Russell A. Lane.

Mayor Alex M. Clark will light a huge bonfire in the park at Northwestern ave. and Fall Creek. Dr. Herman L. Shiber, superintendent of schools, and other officials will take part.

The park will be floodlighted with emphasis on the tennis courts where popular music will be furnished for dancing.

SPECIAL BUSES will transport fans from the Fieldhouse to the park for the celebration.

The team will be picked up at the Fieldhouse by the fire engine which will vent its way to the Circle and back to the park.

Mayor Clark told The Recorder Wednesday: "They can have anything if they win."

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### Jim Crow To Lose

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and less in Indianapolis and Indiana during the past few years. This should do much to remove the last traces of it. The old tale of Negro inferiority will be dealt a severe blow by an Attucks victory this week.

"The double-barreled attack, with Gary Roosevelt in the North, should convince even the hardest headed that the day of segregation and second rate living are gone forever.

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**Ashby, 2 Women Pushers Jailed**

Harrison Ashby, 44-year-old kingpin in the local narcotics traffic, and two of his women pushers received jail terms last week. Ashby, named as the "brains" of an interstate dope ring and denounced as a "scourge of society," was sentenced to five years in Federal prison Thursday afternoon of last week by Judge William E. Steckler.

The middle-aged man who lived at 929 Locke, was found guilty of illegal purchase of narcotics by a jury which deliberated a little more than an hour.

**ASHBY WAS ARRESTED** last Nov. 19 when 345 grains of heroin were found in his car at 16th and Senate avenue.

Drucilla Riley, 29, and Rosemary Hutchinson, 35, both of 323 W. 12th, were handed 2-to-3-year suspended sentences by Judge Saul I. Rabb, Criminal Court 2, last Friday for unlawful possession of narcotics.

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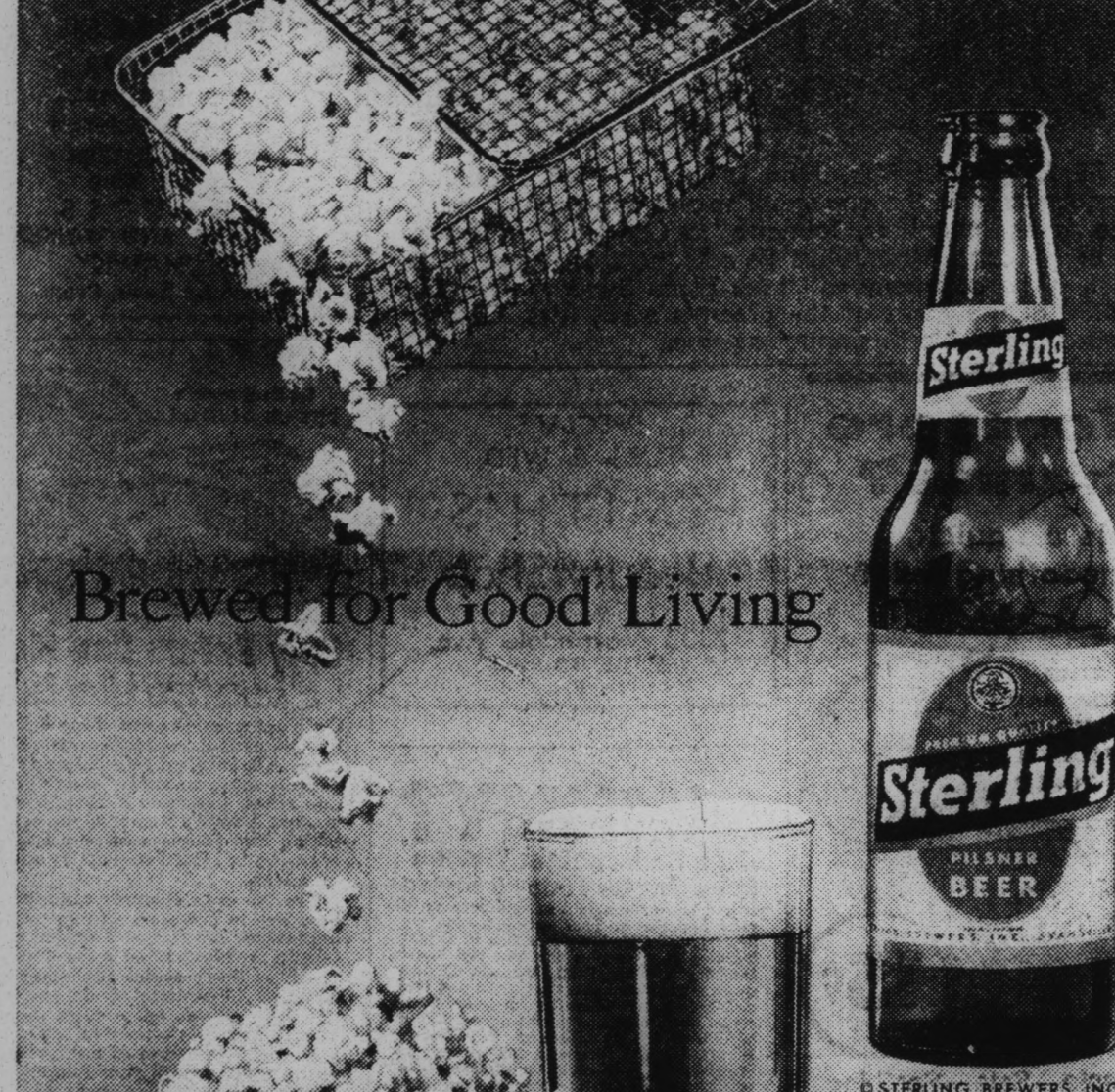
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**Mrs. Willie Martin Dies In Cleveland**

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Funeral services will be held in her native home town, Newport, Tenn., Monday with burial there in a local cemetery.

A resident here the past 14 years, Mrs. Martin was a member of Jones Tabernacle AMEZ Church.

Besides the husband, survivors include a brother, David Frazier, Newport, and four sisters, Mrs. Mae Leeper, Newport; Mrs. Myrtle Mosley, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Rose Jenkins, Cleveland, and Mrs. Katherine Clay, Louisville. Friends may send condolences to Mrs. Leeper, Cosby Pike, Newport, Tenn.

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## Social Scene

By RICHARD C. HENDERSON

Another socially quiet weekend, as far as one RCH is concerned. It has been a terrifically busy period, although not "socializing." I was very pleased to see so many people at the concert of the Karamu Quartet last Sunday night at Second Christian Church. There's a review of the concert on page five.

On Monday night I peeked in at the Bamboo Inn on the Bachelor Benedict club long enough to see that the fellows must have had a wonderful time. I do think it was unusually heart-warming to see a bunch of men who have known each other as long as all these married "Bachelors" have spend a night out and have a lot of fun.

It is with sincere pleasure that I praise members of Alpha Sigma chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho sorority, who will have a special Lenten meeting Saturday at the home of Mrs. Vivian Benedict, meeting from 10 to noon.

Dr. F. Benjamin Davis, pastor of New Bethel Baptist Church, will give the women a Lenten message 11. Music will be furnished by Mrs. Davis.

The chapter's Aurora club, incidentally, will give a "Scholarship Tea" Sunday from 4 to 6 at the home of Mrs. Effie Allen, 2315 E. 1st street. A St. Patrick's Day motif will set the theme of the tea.

Members of the Alpha Home Association will enjoy a covered dish dinner next Thursday at 6, with the meeting to adjourn at 8. Reports will be made on the annual tea, and plans will be started for the next project. Board members who attended the Community Chest annual meeting will make a report on it.

Among the interesting bits of mail received this week was a very handsome invitation from Mr. and Mrs. Sea Harious Ferguson to the marriage of their daughter, Mattie Louise, to James Oliver Ballow, who will take place Saturday afternoon, May 14, at 4:30 at Mt. Zion Baptist Church. The reception will be at the home.

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The Yearlings club has issued invitations to its formal dance, to be held Saturday night at the IBEW Hall.

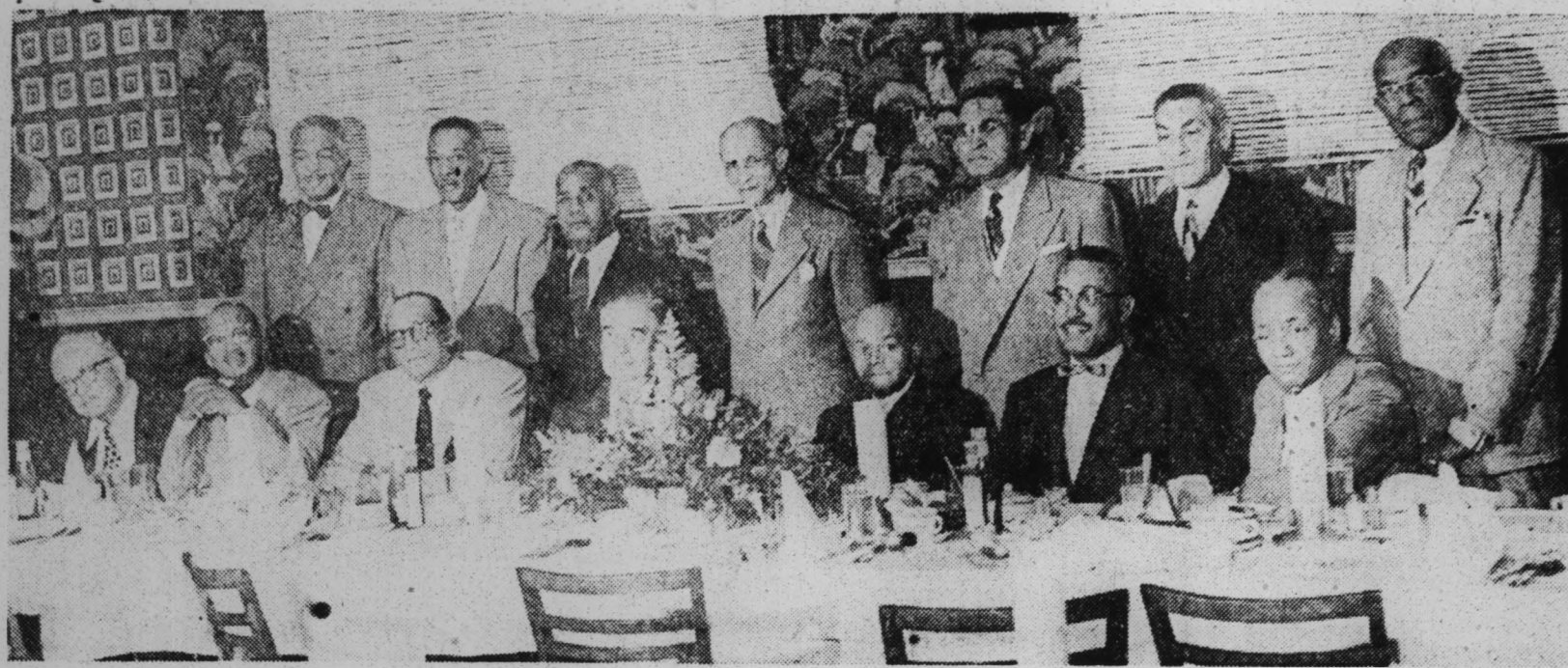
The Las Decí Mesdames club will hold its first annual "Dance in Fashions" at the Masonic Hall on Saturday night, April 16. Members of popular clubs and sororities are participating in the fashion show, which will precede the dance.

Tickets may be obtained from any member, including Mesdames Elizabeth Booth, Margaret Buckner, Rachel Buckner, Marie Dant, Ernestine Grundy, Margaret Hall, Berthel Hines, Betty Jones, Betsy Morris, Betty Lasley and Georgia Rhea.

Rev. Oscar E. Holder, former vicar of St. Philip's Episcopal Church here, was in the city a couple of days this week on business. Now chaplain at West Virginia State College and vicar of St. James' Episcopal Church, Charleston, W. Va., he says he may get back for a slightly longer visit in late May.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Hall spent Saturday at Lafayette, principally to hear Walter Gieseking, the world-renowned pianist, at Purdue University. It goes without saying, of course, that they were dinner guests of the Sterling R. McElwain while there.

The McElwains, by the way, were in town a couple of weeks ago visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. West to take place Saturday afternoon, May 14, at 4:30 at Mt. Zion Baptist Church. The reception will be at the home.



**ENJOY STEAK DINNER:** Members of the popular Bachelor Benedict club, one of the city's oldest and most prominent social groups, took time out from regular activities Monday night to enjoy a steak dinner at the Bamboo Inn. Attending the dinner were (seated, left to right) Wallace Waugh, Joel Overstreet, Amos Thompson, Arthur D. Dodson, Dr. John Norrell, Sea H. Ferguson and Henry Wilson. Standing are J. Wallace Hall, secretary; Cecil R. Powell, president; Dr. Guy L. Grant, vice-president; Bowling Gordon, Dr. L. B. Meriwether, treasurer; George Gaillard and Richard Chavers. Not present were Robert Marbury, W. T. Wilhite, James Hill, Greenville Smith and Bert Boyd. (Recorder Photography by JAMES CUMMINGS)

## Betty Taft's Letter

(EDITOR'S NOTE: From time to time former society editor Betty Taft writes a friendly, chatty letter to the present society editor, Richard C. Henderson. Hope you enjoy it!)

Dear Richard:

We attended the St. Patrick's dance sponsored by Persian Temple Patrol No. 46 last Saturday evening at the IBEW-Union Hall and can report a very enjoyable evening. The spacious hall was filled as far as table reservations were concerned. We were guests of the National Loves, along with their charming daughter, Miss Margaret Scott.

Tables were appointed with white linen and centered with large shamrocks. Refreshments were served by wives of members of the patrol.

The men of the patrol were dressed in their black tuxedo trousers, white shirts, black ties and green cummerbunds with red tassels, carrying out the theme of the night.

Interest in the unique was the carrying out of an Oriental custom adopted by the patrol in the wearing of an earring in the right ear. There were certainly some fabulous earrings to behold!

Music was furnished by Buddy Bryant, and we were happy to see Maurice Johnson, formerly of our old home town, Brazil, playing the piano. He is a most versatile pianist.

The illustrious potentate, Noble Alvin Reno; the illustrious commandress, Dr. Nellie Porter, and the captain of the patrol, Luke Jones, were introduced and received ovations.

Clarence Webb is first lieutenant; Willie Dove, second; Robert Woodard, first sergeant; Robert Britt, second sergeant; Willie Walker, president; William Ridley, treasurer and chaplain; Mitchell Bridwell, sergeant-at-arms, and Clarence Middlebrooks, secretary.

Vennie Bridwell is chairman of the activities committee, assisted by Mose Mason, Eugene Smith, financial secretary, and Robert Hathaway, secretary.

The affair proved to be such a success that it has been adopted as an annual one, and we hope to be on hand for the second!

Speaking of annual affairs, the Byrdson family, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Byrdson, 414 1/2 Blake street, their children and grandchildren, have a family savings club and once a year sponsor a program at some church for benefit of that church.

Last Sunday the family gathered at Shiloh Baptist Church, of which Rev. Judge I. Saunders is pastor, and rendered a complete literary and musical program, after which a silver offering was solicited and donated to the church.

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## Attacks A Cappella Choir Set To Do 3 Weekend Concerts

The a cappella choir of Crispus Attacks high school will sing three concerts over the weekend. On Friday morning at 10:30 the choir will sing a program for the junior division of the school at the invitation of Alexander Moore, vice-principal, and Mrs. Edna Tellefere, auditorium chairman.

The 1955 choir is one of the best musical organizations the school has had during the past ten years, states the director and head of the music department, Norman L. Merrifield.

Featured in the 84-voice group are five soloists, the boys' octet and the girls' ensemble.

At 1:30 Friday afternoon the choir will sing a special half-hour concert for the city and county superintendents' meeting at the State Board of Health auditorium at the invitation of Dr. Herman Shihler, superintendent of the Indianapolis school system. Soloists for this concert will be George Colbert and Theodore Genary.

On Sunday evening the choir has been invited to sing a concert of sacred numbers at Ewin Ray Methodist Church, Woodlawn and Laurel streets. Many parents of choir members will accompany their children to the concert and have been invited to the church social for the choir immediately following the concert.

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## Chatting with the FAC

By ELSA JACKSON

The 1955 Educational Tourists will gather in the club home Sunday afternoon for a travelogue on Hawaii to be given by the Hawaiian tour agent. The group will also receive instructions on the two trips for the year. All tourists and their friends are urged to be present at 3:30 and bring a covered dish.

The public relations committee's fourth annual St. Patrick's Tea was most successful, and a very fine program was highly enjoyed. Special mention goes to Miss Earline Smith and her accompanist, to Miss Deanna Glover of Noblesville and to Mrs. Leona Fletcher, who gave the history of St. Patrick.

The table was very beautifully done in green and white, with the color scheme followed out in the hors d'oeuvres made by Mrs. Mary Holland. The shamrocks and green streamers added to the festive air. Members of the committee wore green and white corsages.

Mrs. Frances Howard, committee chairman, presented Mrs. Lillian Goens with a prize for bringing in the largest number of patrons for the affair. Mrs. Goens was chairman of the tea program, while Mrs. Virginia Gist, co-chairman of the committee, was general chairman of the tea.

Mrs. Rose Edwards, 2216 Hovey street, was winner of the 14-pound ham given away by the group which arranged a special project to aid Mrs. Edith Collins Slaughter, who has been ill. Workers included Mrs. Emma McKnight, Mrs. Ada Cheeks and Leroy Russell.

Mrs. Teresa Sanders is confined to her home, 2939 North Capitol avenue, the result of being rather badly burned.

The ever-popular Gay Caballeros are planning a spring affair for next month. The group will

carry two busses to Cincinnati on Sunday, May 15, for the Brooklyn Dodgers' double-header.

Last Monday night was "Beauticians' Night" for the regular FAC meeting. Miss Mae Simmons introduced Mrs. Margaret Smith, who spoke on "The Progress in Beauty Culture at Home and Abroad."

Candidates of both political parties have been invited as special guests for next month's regular meeting, following a practice done each election year so FAC voters may have clear knowledge of what prospective municipal officials have to offer. The candidates also learn what the FAC wants and expects them to do.

Mrs. Lela Lesser, Christmas cheer committee chairman, says the skating party to be held at the Skatarena is shaping up nicely.

The Caricia Girls club's twentieth annual tea will be held at St. Paul Methodist Church, 425 Minerva street, Sunday from 4 to 7. Mrs. Alice Evans is club president.

April 1 is the day set aside by the baseball and recreation committee for the crowning of a king and queen in a teenage popularity contest. Mrs. Irene Williamson is chairman.

The activities committee's Mothers' Day Tea and Kiddies' Review will be held on May 8. Mrs. F. Hel Ryan, committee chairman, says this will really be an outstanding affair.

Mardi Gras atmosphere will prevail at the "May Festival" to be sponsored by the trustee board on May 21.

The educational committee's breakfast-bridge party will be held at the club home on Saturday, June 11, with contract bridge to be played. Mrs. Ruby Waddell has asked that reservations be made early. Mrs. Almd Bolen is committee chairman.

The Golden Circle Girls will meet with Mrs. Ethel B. Smith next week. Mrs. Helen Ann Perkins is asking all members to be present.

## Ritz Club Officers Installed; Groups Reorganize for Year

Starling W. James, president of the Federation of Associated Clubs, Inc., installed officers of the Ritz Bridge club at a recent meeting at the home of Mrs. Achsah Fields, 873 West 26th street.

Elected for the year were Mesdames Hattie Thomas, president; Mabel VanCleave, vice-president; Beatrice Woodruff, recording secretary; Clodie McCann, financial secretary, and Freddie Douglas, treasurer.

Appointed by the president were Mesdames Sue Ann King, parliamentarian; Babel VanCleave, chairman of ways and means committee; Virgie Burton, sick committee chairman; Arletia Woodard, entertainment committee chairman, and Lorabelle Johnson, reporter.

Winning bridge prizes were Mesdames Woodruff, King and Burton.

The meeting for Thursday night of this week was set for the home of Mrs. Johnson, 3827 Bryam avenue.

The MODERN MATRONS club has reorganized and is accepting all invitations. Cooperation of other clubs will be appreciated. Mrs. Sarah Allender is president, and Avery Hamilton is secretary.

All mail should be sent to Miss Avery Hamilton, 2535 North James street.

The ODD LINKS club has reorganized and has planned a party for April 2. New vice-president is Mrs. Christine Tillman. Norris Powell is president, and Mrs. Geneva Dunn is secretary.

New officers of the OLD SETTLERS Social and Civic club, elected at the last meeting, are Mesdames Bessie Youre, president; Orbie Watson, first vice-president;

Etta Simms, second vice-president; Iva D. Davis, financial secretary; Flossie Harris, recording secretary; Ethel Reid, treasurer, and Mable Adams, chaplain.

The club will meet Tuesday with Mrs. Davis, 430 West 26th street, with Mrs. Youre as co-hostess.

The PANTOMIMES met recently with Miss Elvira Reed, 1058 West 31st street, and elected as officers the Misses Marie Williams, president; Nella Sweetman, secretary; Susie Hancock, treasurer, and Elvira Reed, business manager.

The club is accepting invitations.

The BUTTONS and BOWS club sponsored a waistline social recently and gave prizes for the smallest waists to Miss Ann Gray and Jimmie Weaver, and prizes for the largest to Mrs. Alvistie Grundy and Henry Roache.

The club met last week with Mrs. Loretta Robinson, and each member gave a present to Miss Bernice Phillips in recognition of her birthday. Mrs. Helena Sweett, president, will be next hostess.

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## Voice of the Eastside

By MARY P. McGUIRE

"A human being likes to have his identity respected. His ego requires a normal esteem. He likes to know when he has done something well. He needs assurance that those he loves have esteem and appreciation for him."

These remarks were made by Norman Vincent Peale in "Confident Living" last Saturday in a daily newspaper.

I sometimes think we too lightly esteem the things done for us by our families. We gobble up all which parents and children have to offer, without even saying "thanks." Courtesy and appreciation would help in a big way, if we would practice them more in and out of the home.

And pardon me, but we find some lack of appreciation in most of our churches. The choir sings in many churches 104 times a year, with no comment from the congregation. The service of the ushers sometimes triples that of the choir but again no comment. The clerk serves at least 104 times, and no comment.

Some pastors' work is never done, but no thanks. Then we have the poor organizer who plays loudly for some, but never any thanks. I, for one, am 100 percent with another writer, Dr. Craig, who says, "Paying compliments to others wins many friends." Let's all show appreciation to everyone.

Well dear readers since the dislocated and fractured shoulder, the Ole Scribe doesn't get around much any more, but somehow the news just comes to the shop—or bedside. And you know, I am a woman, with both ears perked!

Right here I am going to pay compliments to members of the Me-De-Phar Guild, which presented three new wheelchairs to General Hospital recently. The ladies are wives, sisters and daughters of local physicians, dentists and pharmacists. It's work such as they are doing which helps lay a foundation for the group tomorrow.

Word comes that Mrs. Lucille Murphy is confined to her home, 1104 West Vermont street. At one time one of the most active members in the YWCA, she is known as an excellent caterer.

Also announced in the hospital is Henry C. Mitchell, one of the City Union organizers, treasurer for more than ten years and sick chairman of the union and Mr. Paron Baptist Church. Mr. Mitchell once turned in a record of visiting nearly 300 homes in one year. He works with cards, and don't forget dollars will go a long way.

It's nice to hear of former residents making good elsewhere. A relative of the Ole Scribe, Mrs. Agnes Cunningham, sent from Cleveland a new church paper called "The Voice," which carried news that the Baptist Ministers' Conference had elected officers. High among them was Rev. J. T. Weeden, former pastor of Eastern Star Baptist Church here.

He was presented a check of congratulations from his present church, St. Timothy.

Another former Eastsider and once active member of New Bethel Baptist Church mentioned in "The Voice" was Rev. Irene Ritter. One of the outstanding personalities to come out of St. Paul's A.M.E. Church, she is now an ordained minister.

In addition to holding a large number of offices, she is a member of the Home Mission Council working toward a goal which should be of interest to all—trying to purchase a home for unemployed.

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**WINS CONTEST:** Lovely Brenda Kay McLaurine, 10-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers McLaurine, 1926 North Capitol avenue, recently won a baby contest sponsored by the Willing Workers club of Phillips Temple C. M. E. Church. Several babies were entered in the contest.

Mrs. Oleytha Davis, 530 1/2 Douglas street, and brother, Samuel F. Buckner, 1359 Edgemont avenue, were called to Greensburg, Ky., by the death of their father, Richard Buckner, last week.

## Women's Federated Club News

By JULIA JEFFERSON

Women of the Elizabeth Carter Council are working like bees completing plans for the coming state convention. They hope to make the meeting one of the greatest and most enjoyable ever held in the city.

Every committee chairman has her helpers, and each group is leaving no stone unturned to bring a round report on time. The president, Mrs. Haidee Wilson, has asked every club to be loyal and assist wholeheartedly in the great task.

The Lula Bean club will meet next Thursday night, March 24, at 8 with Mrs. Lula Bean, 2401 Paris avenue.

Mrs. Theresa Gill is reporter.

The Four Leaf Clover club met last Wednesday with Mrs. C. Bledsoe and made final plans for the annual St. Patrick's Tea, to be given Sunday at the home of Mrs. Mary Adams, 2201 Carrollton avenue, from 4 to 7.

Speaker for the afternoon will be Mrs. Sarah Wade is reporter.

## All Children Welcome To Appear In Recorder Women's "Easter Parade"

All children wishing to participate in the fourth annual "Easter Parade of Tots, Tween and Teens" to be sponsored by the Women Sponsors of The Indianapolis Recorder Charities, Inc., on Monday night, April 11 at the CAHS auditorium, are welcome to do so. It was emphasized this week as the Women Sponsors' director, Mrs. Paul A. Batties, made the formal announcement of the mammoth show.

Mrs. Batties, also vice-president of The Indianapolis Recorder Charities, Inc., pointed out that proceeds from the project will be used to provide a \$500 scholarship to a worthy Attucks girl student in memory of two deceased sponsors, Mrs. Mary Ellen Terry and Mrs. Clarissa Covington.

Friends of The Recorder having children to appear in the Easter parade should contact the proper chairman.

The chairmen include Mesdames Roosevelt Drane, in charge of tots, Ernest R. Batties, 'twins, ages eight to twelve, and Daugherty Moore, teenagers.

The Easter parade is being directed by Mrs. Batties.

Mrs. Joseph Butler, general chairman of the Women Sponsors, announced that a meeting of the sponsors is scheduled for Saturday afternoon, March 26, at 1 Sam's Subway. All sponsors are expected to be present.



**ANNOUNCES EASTER PARADE:** Mrs. Paul A. Batties, director of the Women Sponsors of The Indianapolis Recorder Charities, Inc., announces the fourth annual "Easter Parade" featuring tots, 'twins and 'teens, to be held Easter Monday night, April 11, at 7 in the CAHS auditorium.

## PTA Notes

The SCHOOL No. 42 PTA met Wednesday afternoon at the school. The intermediate chorus sang, and the meetings were highlighted by a panel discussion on "Juvenile Protection," with Mrs. Gladys Winston as moderator.

Panelists included Mrs. Emma Edwards as a minister's wife; Mrs. Jane Stout, social worker; Mrs. Reba Edelen, a mother, and Mrs. S. Gladys Butler, teacher at the school. Rev. Charles Watkins summarized the discussion. Mrs. Gertrude Smith is chairman of the sponsoring committee.

The Camp Fire group of the school, under the direction of Mrs. Para Lee Brown, commemorated Camp Fire Girls' 45th anniversary with a short skit.

Mrs. Robert Smith is president, and Mrs. Hazel B. Johnson is principal.

**SCHOOL No. 56 PTA** met Wednesday afternoon in the school auditorium. The program, presided over by Mrs. Erma Speight, included a movie and talk by Sgt. M. Harlan of the police department on "Safety in the Community."

Mrs. Dorothy Burse is president, and Mrs. Maude Flack is principal.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Malone, 524 West 40th street, are happy grandparents of a girl born to Lieut. and Mrs. Myron E. Thomas, 1404 Penny street, Austin, Tex.

Mrs. Hattie Campbell, 166 Geisendorff street, has returned from Little Rock, Ark., where she was called by the death of her sister, Mrs. Lina Williams.

**William H. Wooleys Plan Open House**  
Mr. and Mrs. William H. Wooleys will hold open house Sunday from 4 to 7 in their new home, 1620 Harlan street. No formal invitations have been issued, and all friends are welcome.

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## Among the Clubs

**ARTISTIC UNITY** met Monday with Mrs. Ruth Macome. The next meeting will be with Mrs. M. Simms, 1801 West 10th street.

**BIBLE STUDY** met with Mrs. Magnolia Wadsworth. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Sadie Young, 2438 Indianapolis avenue.

**CHARMETTES** have resumed meetings. All invitations should be addressed to Mrs. Vivian Myers, 2334 Yandes street.

**DOG HOUSE GANG** met with Charles Tate, 2101 Wendell street, and continued plans for the year's first affair.

**GET-TOGETHER** met with Mrs. Janie Jones. Next meeting will be with the president, Mrs. Nannie Cousins, 1041 North Belmont avenue.

**GIRLS PROGRESSIVE** Twelve met with Mrs. Marion Coleman. Next meeting will be with Mrs. William Fosssett. Mrs. Coleman is on the sick list.

**GRAND TERRACE** met with Mrs. Lillie Mae Sawyer last week. Prizes were won by Mesdames Lucy Bennett, Sue Taylor and Thelma Fishback. Mrs. Taylor will be next hostess.

**HEARTBREAKS** met Tuesday with Mrs. Louella Cummings, 1533 Olive street, and discussed plans for an "April Fool" social. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Bertha Ella Dye, 317 West 21st street, apartment 1.

**JANETTE** met with Mrs. Geneva Kinchlow. Prizes were won by Mesdames Gussie Bryant, Georgia McElroy and Margaret Carter. Plans were completed for a dinner party. Next meeting will be with Mrs. McElroy, 2721 North Keystone avenue.

**KARDETTES** met Tuesday with Mrs. Desdemona Wade, 212 West 33rd street. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Dorothy Everett, 854 West 26th street.

**KEY-NOTERS** met with Miss Helen Belcher. Prizes were won by Mesdames Maxine Armstrong and Juanita Mills. Hostess Friday will be Mrs. Rosemary Richmond, 3819 Byram avenue.

**LA BONNE AMIE** met with Miss Marian Turner, 553 West 30th street. Prizes were won by Mrs. Gertrude Warfield, Miss Katherine

**PEOPLE GIRLS** had "Guest Night" last week at the home of Mrs. Mannie Brown.

**PIXIES** will sponsor a "Sweet Girl Graduate" popularity contest to close in June. The club will meet Saturday with Miss Delores Wright, 706 Blake street, apartment 142.

**RAVENS** met Tuesday with Mrs. Cecelia Miller. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Goldie Miller, 3135 North Kerwood avenue.

**RITZY SIX** will meet with Mrs. Martha Johnson, 2219 Guilford avenue.

**ROYAL QUEENS** met with Miss Cora Edwards, 971 West 32nd street. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Rubene Nash, 2666 Burton avenue.

**SHARMETTES** met with Mrs. Eldridge Smith. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Mildred Wallace, 611 West Vermont street.

**SOUTHSIDE PEACE** Time Charity met with Mrs. Eleanor Woolley. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Josephine Wornack, 1227 Harlan street.

**STARLIGHT FIVE** met with Mrs. Jessie L. Williams, 2623 Guilford avenue.

**STITCH AND CHATTER** met with Mrs. Alvinia West, 323 River street. Next meeting will be Wednesday with Mrs. Dora Wills, 814 East 23rd street.

**THIRTEEN KEYS** met with Mrs. Mattie Page. Prizes were won by Mesdames Beatrice Freeman, Aileen Davis, Ethel Westerman and Sarah Johnson. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Myrtle Page, 614 West Michigan street.

**TWELVE SISTERS** will meet next week with Mrs. Ruby Gant, 1159 West 27th street.

**UNIQUE** will meet Sunday with Mrs. Iva Giles. Mrs. Mildred Thompson was accepted as a member at the last meeting. The club will meet March 27 with Mrs. Idell Glenn, 1316 West Pruitt street.

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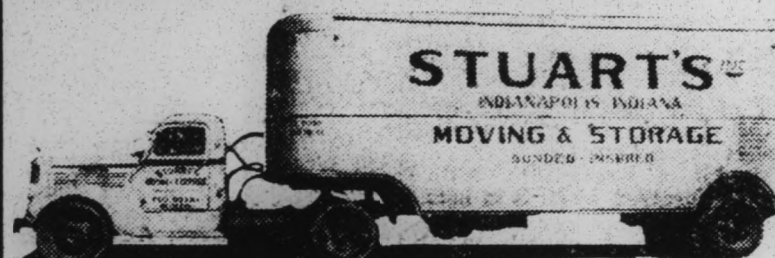
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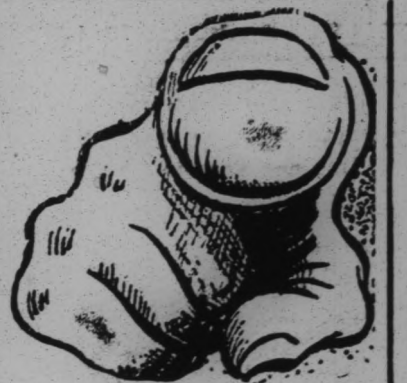
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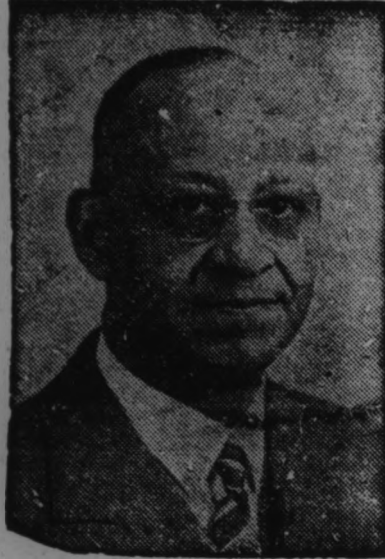
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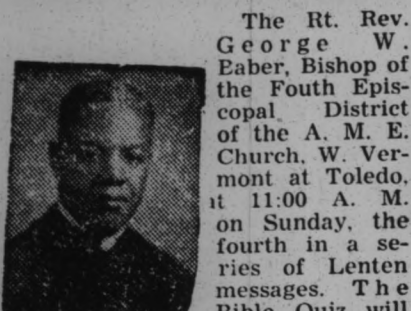
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**BEATRICE BROWN BEASLEY**  
Mrs. Beatrice Brown Beasley and her singers will render a full program Sunday evening, March 20, at 8 p.m. at the Northside New Era Baptist Church, corner 30th and Ethel. The public is invited. Rev. N. E. Vincent, minister.

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**Annual Woman's Day  
At Barnes Methodist  
Church Sunday**

The ANNUAL WOMAN'S DAY observance at Barnes Methodist Church, Annette and Thirtieth streets, will be held Sunday. Speaker for the morning service will be Mrs. D. M. Jordan, wife of the District Superintendent of the Methodist Churches of Indiana. Mrs. Jordan, who is a dynamic speaker, is a former public school teacher. She taught in the Louisville Public School System before her marriage to Dr. Jordan and she has served on the General Board of Youth Work in the Methodist Church. Mrs. Sarah H. Jones, Executive Secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, will be the speaker for the afternoon service which will begin at 4 o'clock. The committee in charge are as follows: Mesdames Marielle E. Lester, general chairman; Lula G. Bean, Ada Banks, Salome Anderson, Tillie Bowman, Cecil Crawford and Rev. Vera Greer. Rev. Paul Ayers, minister.

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ABOUT**  
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I. Albert Moore,  
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A. M. E. Zion Church.

**THE LADIES' CHORUS  
of  
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Will Hold Their  
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SUNDAY, MARCH 20  
3:30 P. M.

The Metropolitan Jubilee Singers and other talent will appear. Willa Johnson, Sponsor and Director  
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**Bishop Geo. W. Baber  
At Bethel AME Church  
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**BISHOP GEO. W. BABER**

The Rt. Rev. George W. Baber, Bishop of the Fourth Episcopal District of the AME Church, will be guest Lenten speaker at Bethel AME Church, W. Vermont at Toledo, on Sunday at 11 A.M. Bishop Baber will be making his first appearance in Indianapolis since the close of the recent Bishops' Council at Waco, Texas. Ministers from various sections of the state have been invited to participate in this special service. The Fourth District supervised by Bishop Baber includes Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin and parts of the Province of Canada. Clarence Stewart, Reporter.

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**Knights of Pythians  
Calanthians to Hold  
Thanksgiving Services**

By the order of Supreme Chancellor R. A. Heston, local Pythians and Calanthians are observing the 58th Thanksgiving Services at Scott Methodist Church, 2131 Martindale Avenue, Sunday, March 27, at 2 p.m., with a program and sermon by Rev. I. D. Dorsey, pastor of the church. Everyone is cordially invited.

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All music lovers will be thrilled by the renditions of this group.  
Mrs. Esther Lyem, Chairman  
William E. Calloway, Pres.  
Dr. J. A. G. Jordan, Minister

## Local Elks Honor National Officers

Dr. William J. Fitzpatrick, grand commander, and Mrs. Julia C. Fitzpatrick, national grand matron, met here with the Grand Council, A. A. S. R. M., and the grand chapter O. E. S. of Indiana, Feb. 25 and 26 at the Greater Elks Rest on Northwestern avenue.

Accompanying the Fitzpatricks from Detroit were national officers, Rev. Jackson, marshal, Rev. Richard Dixon, orator, and R. Burns, grand associate patron.

Dr. Fitzpatrick presided during the meeting of the grand chapter after which he conducted a quiz hour and showed moving pictures of lodges and chapters in Costa Rica and the Virgin Islands. A reception followed the meeting.

It was announced that the state convention will be held in South Bend in June.

Among the social activities were a breakfast in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick at the home of Mrs. Lucile Vidoue and a banquet in their honor at the Hong Lee restaurant which marked close of the sessions.

**Evangelist Stewart In  
Revival At St. Paul  
AME Church Sunday**



**SISTER MARY W. STEWART**

Sister Mary W. Stewart of Detroit, Mich., will begin a REVIVAL SERIES on Sunday at 11:00 a.m. at St. Paul A. M. E. Church, 25th and Manlove avenue. These services will run for two weeks. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. This great evangelist is no stranger to Indianapolis, has conducted meetings at several churches in our city. We feel that Mary W. Stewart is eminently qualified for this noble work. She is a graduate of Payne Theological Seminary in Ohio and has a wide experience as a gospel preacher. Rev. O. L. Powell is the minister at St. Paul.

**City-Wide Ministers'  
Wives Singing Group  
Organized March 15**

A group of Ministers' Wives met on Thursday evening, March 15, at Phillips Temple C. M. E. Church for the purpose of organizing a city wide ministers wives singing group, the organization was perfected. The next meeting will be Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at Phillips Temple C. M. E. Church. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Roger Flye, president; Mrs. G. L. Tolbert, vice-president; Mrs. Plummer D. Jacobs, secretary; Mrs. W. A. Greer, treasurer; Mrs. A. J. Turner, chaplain; Mrs. H. L. Burton, sponsor; Mrs. J. A. Dames, directress.

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Will Render  
A Full Musical Program  
SUNDAY, MARCH 20  
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**THE SENIOR CHORUS OF  
Greater Tried Stone  
Baptist Church**  
9th and Camp Streets

Will Have  
**A TRIO SERMONETTE**  
SUNDAY, MARCH 20  
3:30 P. M.  
By REV. GANT,  
REV. WESLEY MANNING  
and REV. MURPHY SMITH  
of Gethsemane Baptist Church  
Sister Gill, President  
Rev. R. W. Vance, Minister

**The South Calvary Baptist  
Church Usher Board Chorus**

Is Presenting  
**REV. G. C. HARRIS**  
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Church, Congregation and  
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SUNDAY, MARCH 20  
8:00 P. M.

Miss Henry Lee Sherels, Sponsor  
Mrs. Carrie Clemons, Pres.  
Rev. L. A. Manuel, Minister

## Famous Blind Boys, Better Known as Happyland Singers of Alabama, at Antioch Baptist Church March 22



**FAMOUS BLIND BOYS, Happyland Singers of Alabama**

The Original Sacred Four and the FAMOUS BLIND BOYS, better known as the HAPPYLAND SINGERS of Alabama, and the Jackson Harmonizers of Mississippi, in a concert Tuesday evening, March 22 at 8 p.m. at the Antioch Baptist Church, located at 13th and Missouri streets. Although they cannot see their songs have given an inner sight to those that seek a better understanding of the word of God. Advance tickets \$1.00 at the door \$1.25. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the Original Sacred Four, Spiritual Five, or the Indianapolis Recorder. For any information call Mack Brinfield, TA. 2918.

**Rev. M. L. Breeding  
At Phillips Temple  
Sunday Morning**

Rev. M. L. Breeding, General Secretary of Kingdom Extension of the C. M. E. Church and former pastor of Phillips Temple, will deliver the morning message Sunday morning, subject, "SOME THINGS THE CHURCH MUST DO TO SURVIVE."

**An Appreciation**

Mrs. Beulah Bridges, president of Eastern Star Baptist Senior Missionary has returned to her home from the Methodist Hospital after two weeks of serious illness. Her condition is much improved. She wishes to thank her many friends for their prayers, visits, flowers and cards.

**PEOPLE'S MEMORIAL  
BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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SUNDAY, MARCH 20th  
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3:00 P. M.  
True Vine Baptist  
Rev. W. I. Jones,  
Choir and Congregation  
For the Missionary  
Mrs. Johnson, Pres.  
6:00 P. M.  
Communion and Fellowship  
Rev. S. C. Boyd, Minister

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Monthly Musical Program  
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All Singing Groups Please  
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Public Is Invited  
Mack Brinfield, President

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Will Be Presented  
In A Full Musical Program

SUNDAY, MARCH 20  
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**AT MT. HELM  
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**ORIGINAL SACRED FOUR  
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GARFIELD JUBILAIRE**  
In A Full Musical Program

SUNDAY, MARCH 20  
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**CHEER 'INDIANAPOLIS TIGERS':** Fine sportsmanship will be shown in the State Basketball Finals as in earlier rounds by cheer leaders from other city high schools who support the Attucks Tigers as "our team." Left to right, front row, are Attucks leaders: Wanda Taylor, Maxine Stanley, Jo Ann Buckner, Glendonia Smith and Charlotte Jo Clark. Standing, Mike Baskerville, Cath-

edral; Merriline Surbur, Washington; Barbara Ashmore, Sacred Heart; Ronnie Jones, Tech; Darrell Miles, Shortridge; Jacques Wooden, Howe; Sharron Wall, Tech; Joan Ellis, Manual, and Barbara Roach, Deaf School. Unfortunately the "dean" of the yell leaders, carrot-topped Bob Wait of Broad Ripple, is not in picture. (Recorder Photos by Leonard T. Clark)

## Evansville H. S. Students Get Major Awards

By WILLIE EFFIE THOMAS  
EVANSVILLE — Two outstanding pupils, both of them juniors in high school, received major awards recently and were honored by dedication of last Sunday's broadcast of the Evansville NAACP Youth Council.

Miss Margaret Ann Porter, 16-year-old student at Lincoln high school, was winner of the \$250 Emily Orr Clifford Scholarship Award, presented by the Evansville Musicians' club.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred R. Porter, 650 Lincoln, she was winner last fall of a competition to appear as soloist with the Evansville Philharmonic Orchestra at its school children's concert.

Paul Hendricks, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hendricks, 430 Evans, was awarded the Kiwanis Basketball Medal for Memorial high school last week. A junior forward, he was the city's leading scorer during the 1954-55 regular season, with 381 points in 18 games—an average of 21.2 points per game. Also on the NAACP broadcast, a song was dedicated to Mrs. Willa Mae Cobb of Racine, Wis., who is still in Welborn hospital, but recovering rapidly after a serious accident. She is to be taken to Bloomington to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Dearing, before additional attention at the local hospital.

Mrs. O. E. Childers has been returned to her home, 501 Bellemeade, after being treated at Welborn hospital.

The Sisterhood of Liberty Baptist Church held its 21st anniversary March 9 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. George, 816 Lincoln avenue, in the form of a birthday celebration for each member and guest. Each gave the same number of pennies as his years of age, after which a covered dish dinner was served.

Mrs. Jessie Dymon has been president of the organization for a number of years.

Mrs. Harriet Brooks, mother of Mrs. Dymon, was honored with a beautiful birthday card and purse collected by Mrs. Mattie Potts and presented by Mrs. Adelle Cawley as part of the birthday celebration program.

Mrs. Brooks, at the age of 91, is the oldest member in the Sisterhood, as well as in the church. She was also honored on that afternoon when the Mothers' Board held its regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. Claudia Charles of this city represented Cuba, where she was born, she is the wife of Rev. Lester Charles, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church.

Representing Jamaica was Mrs. Enid Willis, who married a local resident, Jackson Willis, while he was stationed in London.

The St. Paul Baptist Church last Friday night at the home of Mrs. L. A. George, 816 Lincoln, Mrs. Mary E. Brown was guest. The members welcomed Mrs. Constance Clemmons into the club. Also present were Mesdames B. A. Walls, M. C. Holley, Lula Dawson, Margaret Taliaferro, Rena Warfield and H. T. Best.

After the two-course dinner, bridge was played, and the warfield, Mrs. Brown received the guest gift.

LOCAL MEMBERS have been asked to help in raising the quota for the fund in recognition of the 100th anniversary of the YWCA. The committee, including Mesdames Willa Spottsville, M. C. Holley, A. K. Stevenson, Phoebe Porter and Lena George, will sponsor a bake sale Saturday starting noon in front of the Lincoln Gardens management office.

Home-made pies, cakes, rolls, cookies and ham sandwiches will be on sale.

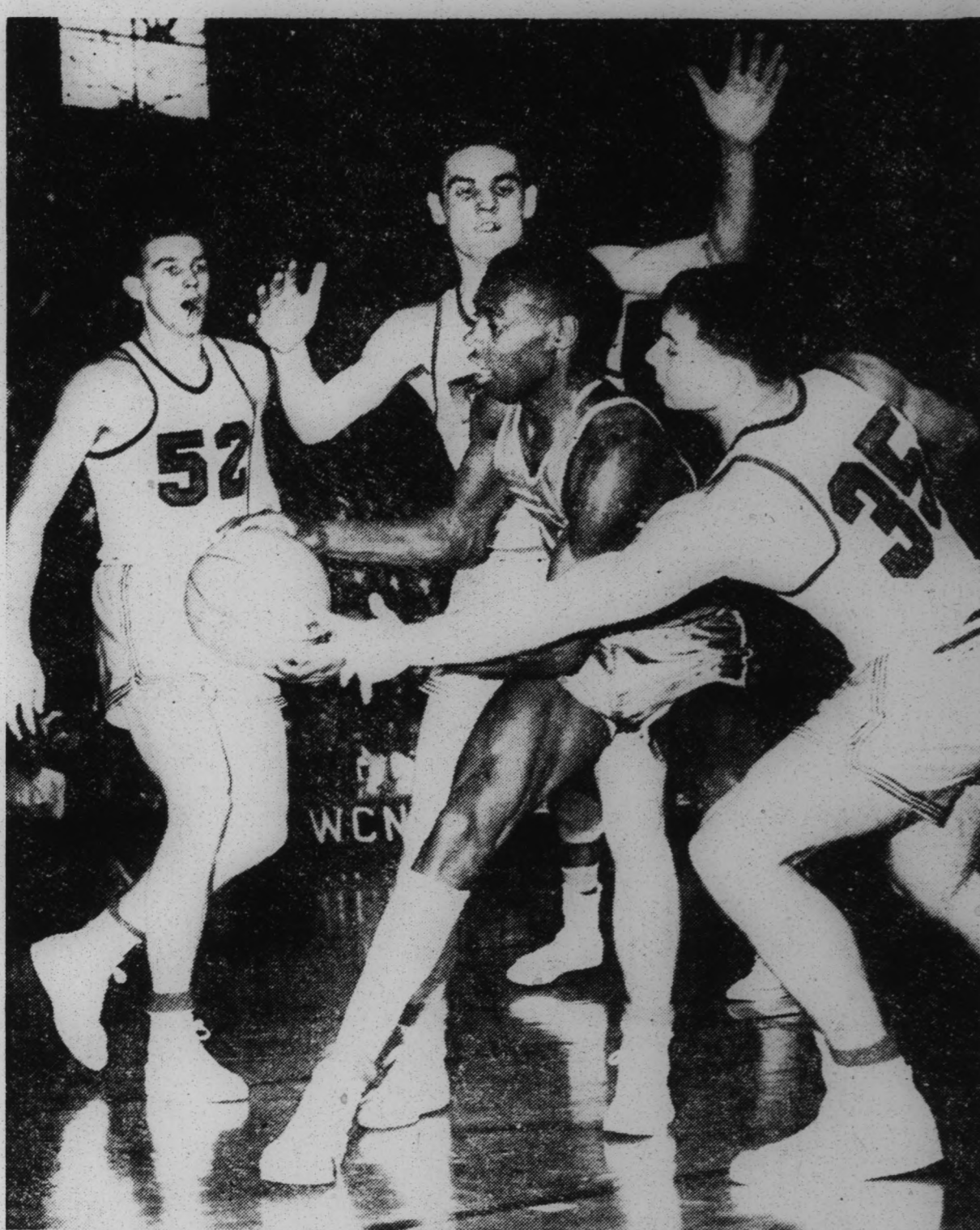
An "Early Spring Tea" will be held Sunday from 4 to 7 at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. George, 816 Lincoln avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Jaxon and daughter, Miss Allouise Jaxon, 651 Judson, gave a dinner recently honoring Miss Fannie E. Snow on her 88th birthday. Other guests were Mesdames Alberta Stevenson and Jane Cole and Miss W. Effie Thomas.

Miss Snow, a retired teacher at the Lincoln school, is a graduate of Fisk University. She is a very active member of McFarland Baptist Church and has been active in Girl Scout work and many other community organizations. In 1953 she received Carver Community Center's "Community Service Award" for outstanding community services.

The Bethel chorus of Nashville was guest group on the NAACP Youth Council broadcast last Sunday morning, while the Blair Gospel Singers were also heard Sunday morning in their regular broadcast, joined by the Jackson Harmonizers as guests, along with the Happyland Singers.

The two groups are to meet in a "battle of music" at the Lincoln school auditorium on March 21.



**OSCAR IN A CAGE:** Oscar "Little Flap" Robertson, leading scorer of the entire state for the past two Saturdays of tournament play, is caged by three Columbus

defenders in afternoon game at Butler Fieldhouse. Bulldogs are brilliant Jerry Schofield (52), Jim Wilbur (number hidden) and Ken Smith (35).

## Some People Say --In Our Town

By W. ALEXANDER CHAMBERS

Stephen C. Noland, newspaper publisher and president of the City-County Health Board, again recently has been urged by a group of supporters to file for the GOP mayoralty nomination. Mr. Noland is not inclined to seek the nomination, but he has not declined to enter the race. He has noted again and again that the high cost of an effective campaign should be considered practically.

Many of his supporters say he would be a tough man to beat, either in the primary or the fall election if nominated. He is credited with having the back of the City-Hall faction led by Mayor Alex M. Clark.

Phillip L. Bayt filed for the Democratic mayoralty primary late last week. Mr. Bayt, a lawyer and former municipal court judge, was mayor in 1950-51, succeeding Mayor Al Feeney who died in office.

Mr. Bayt pledged a continuation of the program started while he was in the City Hall. Some political observers vision a good year for Democrats. Others say Democrats are doing nothing to win the necessary or dominant vote in the Eleventh, Twelfth, Twenty-third or Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Wards.

Rufus C. Kuykendall, assistant City Corporation Counsel and attorney for the city board of safety, appeared on the most recent WISH-TV program, "Indiana Showcase." Mr. Kuykendall made national news recently on the basis of a possible appointment to a post of foreign service under the U. S. Department of State.

He appeared on the radio program or panel along with Detective Sgt. Cecil London, Paul Shiek, president of the board of safety, and David O. Lewis, attorney for the Fraternal Order of Police.

Public comment by Sgt. London on conditions and operation of the local police department was the subject of the radio panel. Irving Leibowitz, assistant managing editor of The Indianapolis Times, is director of "Indiana Showcase."

James O. Birr, Northside auto dealer and contender for the GOP mayoralty nomination, is rated as the winner in one area where some of the fellows want to place light wagers (cigars) or run the risk of "eating straw hats."

Others want to know if his "progressive outlook" could (?) include posts in his administration for supporters from the Eleventh, Twelfth, etc. Wards comparable to the posts now held by voters of similar areas in Detroit, Cleveland, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Atlantic City and elsewhere.

Cary D. Jacobs, local attorney,

is being urged by friends to seek a GOP nomination for city council. Mr. Jacobs is a graduate of Columbia University Law School. He has been active in Republican politics nearly two decades. He is also a member of Jacobs Brothers firm of morticians. He is active in civic organizations and a family man.

Dan Smith, ex-sheriff of Marion County, lately among aspirants for the GOP mayoralty nomination, may not have a "Buck for Bayt." But according to some widely circulated reports he would put some "bucks in action" behind a GOP contender if he could get a promise of being considered for the post of next Police Chief.

James Cunningham, Center Township Assessor and former Marion County Sheriff, may file for mayor in the Democratic primary. It is reported around the Court House, some political observers think he would make a hot race out of a contest now getting off to a very slow start.

A bill passed by the Indiana General Assembly increasing the number of members of the local school board has been signed by Gov. George N. Craig. The present board of five will be increased to seven members on or after January 1, 1956. The design seemingly heretofore in stating candidates for the school board has been a disturbing matter in some areas of the city.

Now civic leaders of the dominant voting group in the Eleventh, Twelfth, Twenty-third, Fifth, etc. Wards anticipate some change in the manner of slating candidates.

Rep. Charles Brownson, 11th Congressional District, is interested in throwing his hat into the ring for the GOP nomination for U. S. Senator if Rep. Charles Haleck will stand for Governor, it is reported. Some people are wondering how much such carryin' on disturbs Sen. Homer E. Capehart.

Gov. George N. Craig's toll road program seems ready to roll right along. However, one must recollect Lt. Gov. Harold Handley is reported to have said, "We insist and will continue to insist—that these toll roads must not cost the taxpayers of Indiana any of the dollars which they have paid for the free highway system that serves all parts of the state."

Notwithstanding, late reports are that Albert J. Wedeking, executive director of the Indiana Toll Road Commission, has been authorized to negotiate for a complete new survey on the north-south toll road. Seemingly the costs of the survey will come out of gasoline tax money allotted for the state highway commission's free highway program.

Mrs. Burnette rendered a musical program at Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church recently.

The evangelist campaign at Second Baptist Church was scheduled to close Friday night. Rev. G. M. Lacey, pastor of Ninth Street Baptist Church, Covington, Ky., has been evangelist.

Rev. M. S. Sparger and his choir from Bunker Hill recently gave a special program at Second Baptist Church under auspices of the Willing Workers of the church.

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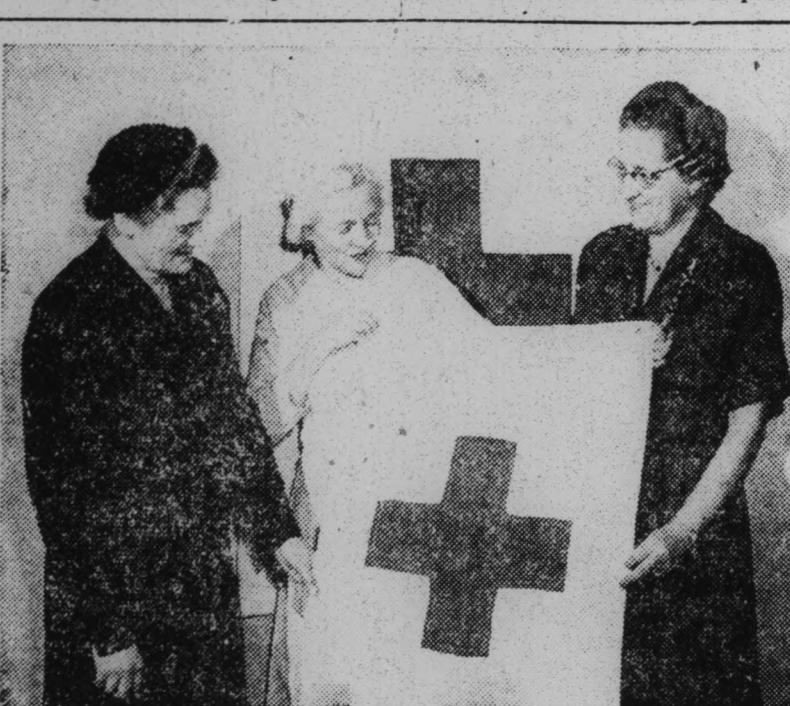
**EVERYBODY HAPPY!** Overwhelming joy was the emotion shared by Principal Russell A. Lane and Cheer Leaders Maxine Stanley (left) and Stella Barker when Attucks beat Muncie Central in the "dream game."

## Terre Haute Church Closes Successful 2-Week Revival

TERRE HAUTE—St. Paul Baptist Church closed a two-week revival last Friday night. Rev. L. W. Mundy of Washington Street Baptist Church, Paducah, Ky., was evangelist. The church started work on its redecoration program Monday morning. Rev. R. H. Carter is pastor.

The Washington Echoes of Washington, Ind., rendered a program Sunday afternoon at Calvary Church for the Voices of Harmony and on Sunday night at St. John Baptist Church.

The Ladies' Guild of St. John Church sponsored a unique "Heav-



**RED CROSS DRIVE:** The "Flag of Humanity" is the Red Cross emblem that signifies the ever readiness of the American Red Cross to meet every emergency promptly. Shown are Mrs. Lee Landis (center) 2945 N. Talbot, an official in the current membership and fund campaign; and her assistant officers, Mrs. Lois Wilhite (left), 654 E. 13th, and Mrs. C. F. Badger, 2618 N. Alabama. Not shown is another assistant, Mrs. Alma McClennon, 411 W. 16th Place. Scores of volunteers working are needed to help carry out the door-to-door solicitations in the northern section of the city.

## Down HOPKINSVILLE Way

By MILDRED L. IRVIN

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky.—The Attucks Wolves were assured of a spot in the state tournament at Louisville when they defeated Western high of Owensboro 65-63 on Wednesday night of last week in what was probably the most hectic battle the Booker T. Washington gym has ever seen.

A total of 22 points were dumped into the basket by the two teams during a wild overtime period, which was necessary to decide the winner.

The score was tied and untied five times during the extra period before Attucks won.

Roger Holloway led the Wolves in scoring during the game, tallying 25 points. Philip "Big" Payne was runner-up in the scoring department with 21 points.

As a highlight of the observance of Founders' Day at Freeman Chapel CME Church last Sunday, about 30 members who have participated in church activities for 50 years or more were honored at a church "family dinner." Each person was given a badge of honor inscribed "Methodist" for his faithfulness and long membership.

Mrs. Rosa Allen Johnson of Nashville, formerly a public school teacher here, and Bishop Luther Stewart were given badges as guests who had served the church for half a century.

Others receiving badges were Mesdames Betty Bell, Bessie Brewer, Annabel Buckner, Beatrice Buckner, Fannie L. Bruce, Mayme L. Copeland, Annie Chilton, Elizabeth Dawson, Mattie Gee, Mary Gill, Amelia Hammonds, Mary B. Hooser, Mollie Henry, Sallie Howard, Idella B. Irvin, Sallie S. Jones, Edgar B. Massie, Nellie Mims, Candis Mims, Mary A. Moorman, Agnes Newell, Mattie Northington, Hattie Overton, Jennie Rowland, Louella Redd and Sallie Shipp. Rev. L. B. Tandy and Messrs. Nelson Goode, Lomas McNary and Roscoe Penner.

J. SHERMAN BREWER, local Jehovah's Witnesses minister, and his congregation attended the assembly meeting of the Watchtower Bible and Tract Society of New York at Union City, Tenn., over the weekend. Delegates attended from Kentucky, Tennessee, Illinois and Mississippi.

The marriage of Mrs. Mamie Woolridge and Rev. L. B. Tandy, retired CME minister, was solemnized Feb. 27 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Parker, with Dr. Milner L. Darnell, pastor of Freeman Chapel CME Church, officiating the single-ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hardin were the couple's only attendants.

The reception was held in the dining room immediately after the wedding.

Miss Mary Rose Watkins, daughter of the bride, and the last rites were conducted.

at New Zion Baptist Church here on March 6, with the pastor, Rev. A. McCombs, delivering the eulogy. The Adams and Sons Funeral Home was in charge of burial in New Zion cemetery. Mrs. Morris formerly resided in the New Zion community, but had made her home in St. Louis for several years.

Survivors are the husband, John H. Morris; three children, four brothers, Messrs. Mack, Thomas and Lemuel Bradley of this city and Arthur Shipp, Champaign, Ill.; two sisters, Mesdames Ida Burton and Minnie Hale, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Herlon Williams died Feb. 27 at his home in the Canon Heights community. Rev. O. L. McKinney, pastor, officiated at the funeral, held March 1 at Moore's Mission Baptist Church. Burial was in Cave Spring cemetery with the Adams and Sons Funeral Home in charge.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Rosa Lee Williams; three daughters, Mesdames Birdie L. Dabney and Virginia Abraham of this city and Bonnie Daniel, Detroit; two sons, Jeff and Edward Williams; twelve grandchildren, three sisters and two brothers.

## Plainfield Church Has Successful Musical Program

PLAINFIELD — Mrs. Cassie Swann was chairman of the musical sponsored March 6 at the Methodist Church by Bethel AME Church to help its new fund drive. Guest soloist was Miss Margaret Greer, a graduate of Plainfield high school now studying at Terre Haute. The program was an outstanding success.

Rev. Thomas Porter, pastor, opened the program with a prayer. The church choir was featured in several selections, and appearing as soloists were Harry Edgar Swann and Miss Gladys Greer. Mrs. Gladys Carbin and Miss Kathryn Cullins sang a duet, and Cassie Swann, Cynthia Watts and Miss Collins formed a trio to sing selections.

Selections were led by Rose Swann, James Vernon Gilbert, Rev. A. H. Davis and Gladys Carbin. The Plainfield Chaplains gave a selection, and Rev. C. P. Swann conducted the collection of the offering and explained the purpose of the program.

Attending from out-of-town were Rev. and Mrs. Horace Greer and family and friends, Frankfort; Messrs. and Mesdames Carl Barnett, Sr., Carl Barnett, Jr., and family; H. Bluestein and sons, and Edward Bryant and Mesdames Frances Mitchell, Della Bryant and Cynthia Watts and family, Indianapolis, and Mrs. Mary Bledsoe, Bridgeport.

Luncheon was served to the choir members and their families after the program.

Mrs. Eva Swann was ill last week.



## Break Up the New Klan!

The gravest danger to our country and our people has been exposed by a courageous white editor of the South. In Look magazine of March 22, Pulitzer Prize-winning Hodding Carter tells the shocking story of the organization of Citizens Councils which are a new terroristic Ku Klux Klan in the making.

Mr. Carter is editor of the Delta Democrat-Times, daily newspaper of Greenville, Mississippi. He has himself been subjected to the underhanded attacks of the "new KKK." You can feel the pressure and the terror in Mississippi even through the lines of this well-known liberal.

The Citizens Councils were organized for the avowed purpose of subverting and overthrowing the authority of the United States Government—in the Supreme Court's ruling against segregated schools. They are headed by Robert B. Patterson, "a 32-year-old planter, a redheaded paratrooper who had been captain of Mississippi State's football team."

For the record, the Councils disclaim violence—an old and cynical trick—while flooding the mails with hate propaganda and bringing "economic pressures" upon anyone who dares to oppose them.

HERE ARE A FEW examples of the Citizens Councils' actions, as cited by Carter:

1. In Greenville a scheduled baseball game between a Negro team and a white team was broken up by threats of the Councils to stage a sitdown strike on the diamond. At the same time, inflammatory handbills were dropped by airplanes throughout the surrounding country districts.

After Carter printed an editorial against the Councils' undemocratic tactics, half a dozen personal attacks on him were distributed—four of them unsigned.

2. In Indianola, Dr. Clinton Battles was the first Negro to register and vote since Reconstruction. His patients were "approached by white citizens who tell them that if they don't find another doctor, they'll lose their jobs or their credit."

Nether Mr. Battles nor any other Negro voted in the last election.

3. Also in Indianola, a Negro insurance and fraternal order, the Sir Knights and Daughters of Tabor, had scheduled a debate on de-segregation at its annual statewide meeting. After a "warning," the debate was canceled.

4. In Belzoni a Negro undertaker, T. V. Johnson, was asked by Dr. T. R. M. Howard of Mound Bayou to be community chairman for Negro Boy Scout activities. Dr. Howard is head of the Mississippi Regional Council of Negro Leadership, and is considered "the state's most controversial Negro."

White citizens "advised" Mr. Johnson not to accept the Boy Scout post; to resign from the Negro Council, and to have his name stricken from the voting rolls. Otherwise, they said, "he wouldn't get any further credit and might find himself looking for another home." He followed their "advice."

5. "A prominent Mississippi citizen and Council member, while turning his automobile around in a Negro woman schoolteacher's driveway, inadvertently ran over some flower beds. The woman apparently remonstrated vigorously and, according to reports, cursed the driver. He returned later and shot her in the leg. She was fired from her teaching post."

"So the stories run, unendingly," Carter says.

IT IS APPARENT from these sickening examples and the rest of Mr. Carter's article that a murderous Nazi-type movement has arisen in Mississippi and spread to other states. It is directed not only against Negroes, but also against Jews, Catholics and all who believe in a democratic form of government.

Neither for our nation's domestic peace and integrity, nor its good name abroad, can we tolerate this "KKK revival." These dressed-up ruffians are trying to make the United States of America as notorious in the world's opinion as the Union of South Africa.

The Negroes and decent whites of Mississippi, though together comprising a majority, cannot defeat this powerful conspiracy without help. They are calling for the Federal Government to intervene for the protection of the U. S. Constitution and laws.

According to reports, the FBI is investigating the Citizens Councils for "possible violations of civil liberties." This is the acid test of America's sincerity. The Citizens Councils must be wiped out so that democracy can live!

## School Board Opportunity

The General Assembly at its recent session enacted a law to expand the QUANTITY of the Indianapolis School Board—increasing the number of members from five to seven.

This should clear the way for the next logical step—improving the QUALITY of the Board.

We do not wish to level blanket accusations, and we acknowledge that Mrs. Dale DeVee, president of the Board, seems to be doing an excellent job. Some of the other members, however, by operating like bulls in a china shop have roused the ire of the overwhelming majority of parents and teachers.

Increasing the number of Commissioners provides an opportunity for electing a School Board that will be truly representative. Now it is time to end the shameful practice of racial exclusion and elect a Negro to the Board.

With only about five months remaining for candidates to file in the elections, civic leaders must bestir themselves within the Citizens School Committee or outside it to ensure that this all-important step will be taken.

## Matthew Henson

A rare man passed away last week with the death of Matthew A. Henson, who stood with Peary at the Pole.

He was the last surviving member of Admiral Robert E. Peary's expedition which planted the Stars and Stripes at the North Pole in 1909.

Henson, in fact, was the man who actually reached the Pole first. He was the trailbreaker on the last dramatic dash to the long-sought objective. Peary, whose toes had been frozen off in earlier expeditions, came up later on a sled.

The two men—only Americans in the party—stood together in the bleak Arctic air and buried a piece of the Flag in a metal container.

Henson later said in his book, "The Negro at the North Pole":

"As I stood there at the top of the world and thought of the hundreds of men who had lost their lives in the effort to reach it, I felt profoundly grateful that I, as a personal



"ASHAMED, BUT SOUTH AFRICAN PETITION, LACKED OUR SUPPORT."

### MISCELLANEOUS-MUSINGS

By T. C. Johnson

## Bigger Negro Business Needed

This article is in response to a request from a former pupil that I have something to say about the need for more business activity among Indianapolis colored people.

I should like to give her credit for suggesting it by the mention of her name openly but am not doing so because of possible embarrassment to her.

She is a member of one of the long-established, most prominent families of the city, an Attucks graduate and a successful homemaker. (Home-making is recognized as being one of the very significant occupations.)

Being the mother of several children and having a praiseworthy feeling of responsibility, not only as regards her own offspring and kindred but in relation to her group as well, she is hopeful that more, bigger and better commercial and industrial establishments may be organized and maintained, not only here but throughout the country also.

SHE IS an earnest, intelligent and far-seeing young woman. Are there many Indianapolis men and women who have similar yearnings? I believe that there are. Then what is holding us back? It cannot be accounted for by lack of ability or money.

Thousands of Indianapolis Negroes have considerable schooling and fine native intelligence. It ought to be easy to raise hundreds of thousands or even millions of dollars for business purposes. Corporations could be or-

ganized in accordance with laws governing the corporate form of business organization and operated honestly, efficiently and smoothly.

BOARDS OF DIRECTORS should be composed of men and women of undoubted character and capacity and possessing the hardihood of mind and body to direct activities according to the most exacting rules of business.

Employees, from the president to the porters, should be chosen with a view to securing the highest possible type of workers. All should be given plain, inexorable orders. Every effort should be made to inspire and help them to do the right thing. There should be no humiliating blustering.

Everybody should be respected, treated with consideration and encouraged to show self-respect and manhood and womanhood.

But whenever any person showed lack of appreciation of his job he should be handed his walking papers forthwith and without any ado.

A STEAM LAUNDRY, a chain of drug and grocery stores, a real estate business, a shoe factory and retail shoe stores, a farm and canning factories and a bank are some feasible fields waiting to be cultivated by able, enthusiastic entrepreneurs.

Read about HEMAN (not Herman) Perry. I mentioned him once before but someone with more zeal than knowledge substituted HERMAN for the correct HEMAN.

Learn about Heman Perry and his remarkable corporate activities in Atlanta.

Suppose it should be decided to operate a \$100,000 steam laundry.

The money could be raised by 100 persons supplying \$1,000 each, 200 \$500 apiece or by a larger or smaller number of investors.

IF NO COLORED PERSON could be found with sufficient knowledge of the laundry business to be manager, a white manager could be hired. But almost any reasonably intelligent person could learn the managerial side of operating a laundry in a short while from various sources.

A white university professor of chemistry once said to me: "I do not believe that the American colored man ever will show the economic grasping so pronounced in others."

I did not agree with him then and do not accept his view now. The Negro has great possibilities. All that is necessary is for somebody to show the way effectively and to quit whining.

TWENTY YEARS AGO I was invited to join several car-loads of men and women who were concerned deeply about the economic interests of the group. It was Thanksgiving Day.

We inspected a farm near Martinsville and another close to Bridgeport with a view to buying one of them and raising vegetables and fruits to be sold fresh and in cans put up in our own cannery.

The effort failed for lack of sufficient support. I was impressed with the broad-minded thoughts and feelings of the leaders. As we passed through Bridgeport the aim to take over the town was revealed.

IT WAS DECIDED, however, not to disturb the white people, who were to be treated fairly and given a rightful share in the conduct of public affairs.

They decided to have me resign my school job here and become superintendent of the Bridgeport public schools.

(Next: More about business.)

### THE COLONIAL FRONT

By A. J. Siggins (ANP)

## Western Powers Wreck Peace

LONDON (ANP)—The much-publicized speech of the prime minister, Sir Winston Churchill, was reported by the Manchester Guardian last week as "The most thorough and effective study of defense in the age of the hydrogen bomb we have yet had."

That comment just about sizes up the opinion of a majority of white colorphobic imperialists on the speech.

Today, Aneurin Bevan claimed that "the mediocrity of the prime minister's thinking had been concealed by the majesty

of his language."

Bevan also suggested that the course Britain was following in making hydrogen bombs and joining the peripheral plan of bombing Communist states was at the dictation of the United States.

THE COMMUNIST and extreme left comments on the speech were scathing.

But, although Britain's action in making bombs and joining the U. S. A. in manning bases around the world, which the speech announced as Britain's intention may not have been

attended to the commander, had the honor of representing my race in the historic achievement."

Admiral Peary said he could not have reached the Pole without Henson, a former seafaring man and highly skilled navigator who was one of the most extraordinary explorers in the history of the nation. Yet America would not recognize the Negro's accomplishment. Congress turned down all efforts to grant him a pension, and it took 35 years even to get him a medal.

Following his death, a news report last week described him as "Peary's valet for many years." One seems to hear the mighty laughter at that of two strong men who stood together in triumph at the end of the earth, where there is only one direction and "neither race nor creed, nor border nor breed nor birth."

### VOICE FROM THE GALLERY

By Andrew W. Ramsey

## Business As Usual? Heck, No!

Perhaps few readers of newspaper columns who from time to time peruse a piece like this and find it wanting are aware of the tremendous difficulties which usually beset the writer.

Sometimes the columnist finds it very easy to get something to write about because something happens to focus attention on some particular problem. It only remains then for the columnist either to count noses and write something with which the majority of his readers will agree or to stick out his neck and put in his own two cents' worth.

At other times it is far more difficult. Nothing seems to come to the columnist and yet he must make a deadline and usually does. Such an occasion is producing this space filler.

It began last Sunday evening when the columnist went to the NAACP report meeting to see if there was not something to give him a new lead.

He talked with McCabe Betty, the general chairman of the NAACP membership drive. Mr. Betty seemed discouraged because many citizens could not spare two dollars to join the national organization and buy tickets—which they hoped to get—to the basketball semifinals.

Some other year, maybe ON MONDAY the Voice began boning up on his reading: the RECORD, the COURIER, the local dailies, EBONY, the CRISIS, the NATION, the comics, a who-done-it.

Still no ideas.

ON TUESDAY the writer witnessed a strange spectacle. Hundreds of basketball fans filing into Crispus Attucks High School hoping to get one of the coveted 2,800 tickets to the semi-finals and hundreds of others who arrived too late, angry that they could not be among those witnessing the spectacle first hand, not stopping to realize that in a town

of over four hundred thousand souls with at least ten percent wanting tickets, 2,800 tickets would not go very far and that the chance of any particular individual being left out was remarkably high. Got a ticket?

ON WEDNESDAY played bridge and listened to talk about Attucks and Muncie Central with Gary Roosevelt coming in for a few remarks now and then.

No ideas for this week's column.

On Thursday the rains came and scattered debris all over the yard which should have been raked and cleaned up several weeks ago if it had not been for Attucks' winning ways. No ideas came with the water.

On Friday, the desperate columnist went down to the Masonic Hall to a Scotch Rite meeting only to hear repeatedly "Know where I can get tickets for tomorrow?"

Went down into Grenadier Club (Shrine Oasis) and saw Mr. and Mrs. John Legrone from Evansville, who defended about Art Taylor's basketball quintet and the reason why it did not win and about Attucks and Gary Roosevelt.

SATURDAY MORNING the scribe went to the barber shop to receive a much needed alteration and listened to the wisecracks play the Attucks-Muncie Central game, punctuated by the remarks of a slightly tipsy customer who kept saying: "They ain't never goin' to let Attucks win the state title till they get some white boys on that team. Man, I knows this here white man."

"Suppose they can't help it?" replied a chair occupant.

"Man, who chooses them officials? I tell you they ain't never goin' to win 'til they get some white boys on that team."

Still nothing to write about.

At twelve-fifteen the Voice started for the field house. Found the parking lot filled. Parked a leisurely ten minutes away, and strolled into the field house.

Columbus team had just come out on the floor with yelling from all over the field house except the portion filled with pale faces interspersed with pale faces here and there.

### BETWEEN THE LINES

By Dean Gordon Hancock (ANP)

## Moose Versus Rabbits

The story goes, that a certain hunter went forth at early morn to hunt game for his table. He loaded his gun with rabbit shot, hoping to take a rabbit for dinner.

No sooner than he had struck the hunting ground than a moose came charging along within easy range of the hunter.

But a rabbit load could not take a moose, and so the moose escaped, and along with him a heaping supply of venison.

What would have gone a long way toward filling the hunter's larder.

But he was loaded for rabbits!

Just why rabbits came into his mind, when he set out to hunt has never been determined. He perhaps had thought most about rabbits, and very little about moose; but therein he was mistaken.

If the hunter's mind stays on rabbits he will load for rabbits, seemingly forgetting the advantage of one moose over many rabbits. In other words his aim was too low.

"Not failure but low aim is the crime," says one of the cardinal precepts of common sense.

The above reflection was inspired by an address recently delivered in Richmond by the

National Urban League's Director of Industrial Relations, Julius A. Thomas, whose address before the annual dinner of the Richmond Urban League was both a highlight and a blessing.

THE BURDEN of Thomas' address was that Negroes are too prone to look too much at the poor economic opportunities and to look too scarcely at the more remunerative ones.

There is so much to warrant the conclusion that the sky should be the limit of the Negro's economic aspiration. Hewing wood and drawing water are honorable occupations, just as important as the nobler occupational pursuits, but they do not pay as well.

And what an occupation pays is important these days. Men seek the higher levels of economic opportunity not because they are more honorable, but because they are more remunerative and remuneration is an important item in any man's book.

Thomas pointed out in dramatic fashion how there were numbers of finer opportunities offering themselves for fewer Negro takers.

IN OTHER WORDS, undreamed of opportunities for Negroes are going by default, because Negroes are not prepared for them. These opportunities are "moose" opportunities, while Negroes are too prone to load for rabbit opportunities.

This pattern must be trans-

ferred around a dinner table—a dinner table set for a billion and a half people.

LIKE ALL his important speeches the Prime Minister's latest one was timed and delivered with an object in view. In the case of that speech the object was to strengthen the hands of President Eisenhower, Dulles and all the European supporters of European Defense.

And it was particularly hoped that the expression of unity and strength at this time would influence all Asian, Arab and African peoples, who may be hesitating between East and West now that the great revolutionary movement of colored races is to be canalized into definite physical channels leading to relief and rehabilitation of a majority of mankind at Bandung in April.

This is the greatest revolutionary movement of all time and will expose the shortsightedness and greed of Europeans to the world. That is the reason this Afro-Asian Conference is so feared by Americans and all colorphobic powers.

SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL'S

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM was played. The tension mounted. The game was on. Columbus was fighting and being fought. Chewing gum was popping all around.

The half came and the bench coaches got together. One fan had a radio and announced. "Gary Roosevelt is leading Crawfordsville 60-33 in the third quarter."

One of his listeners said, "Man, if they come down here and Attucks beats Muncie Central tonight what's going to happen?"

One wit replied, "If that happens we'd better put a guard around Crown Hill Cemetery, because some of those departed citizens aren't going to be satisfied with just turning in their graves, they're going to get out."

THE SECOND HALF began and the Columbus cheers which had been lusty began to fade away as the Columbus team began playing as though the sun was in its eyes. And then came the Crazy Song. Still no article.

The Muncie-Rushville game brought out remarks from those seated nearby. "They look good," one girl fan said. "Yeah but look at who they're playing," roared her instructor-escort. They can't do that against Attucks!

THEN CAME the night. The atmosphere was charged with tension, apprehension. Columbus and Rushville cheering sections came alive every time Muncie Central edged up a bit and went into ecstasy whenever they led briefly.

"See, they're all against us," said one race-conscious fan. "No they're not," someone replied. "Look at that white man down there."

"Yeah, he's been rooting for Attucks all along," a voice replied. "Wonder who he is."

No time for the Crazy Song. Only the gun, and complete silence except in the sepi section where the shouts almost brought down the rafters.

Still nothing to write about but who cares? Attucks won!

ended if Negroes are to improve their economic status in this bitterly competitive age. Thomas' address was a brilliant challenge to the young Negro student.

Claude Barnett of the Associated Negro Press sends clippings which indicate that although many Negroes are offering for the Air Service, very few go in for pilot training.

Negroes, it seems are quite willing to enlist for "air service on the ground," but have little interest in actual flying, with its glamour and its glory and its astral salary brackets and other advantages.

NEGROES HERE, as in industry, are loading for rabbits, when the military woods are full of moose.

It must not be thought that Negroes are afraid to fly; for those Negroes who have flown have distinguished themselves and their race, but in far too many instances, Negroes seem indifferent to the opportunities that go with air piloting.

There fell into my hands recently an address delivered by the eminent Dr. Charles Johnson, president of Fisk university, at the opening convocation, 1953, and his message was closely akin to that of Julius Thomas and the note made by Claude Barnett.

Dr. Johnson pointed out the fields in his inimitable way, the fields that were beckoning for capable men, irrespective of their race, if they can only fill the bill.

He laid upon that fine Fisk student body the burden of a great challenge, that has come in this new day.

COMING AS IT DID from the president of the college, Dr. Johnson's address seemed doubly timely; for in the last analysis, if Negroes are to respond to the great opportunities now becoming more and more prevalent, they must somehow be turned into those more fertile fields by their teachers.

The burden of awakening the younger generations to their finer economic opportunities is on the presidents and principals and teachers of our schools.

Whether the current generation of Negro students in our schools and colleges will load for rabbits or moose is largely in the hands of their teachers.

Moose versus rabbits!

idea of dominating the world by threats of obliteration is quite in keeping with his own personal attitude toward colored races during his life and with the avowed policies of all colonial powers.



# THE PRES BOX

## Muncie Thought It Was Underdog

The greater part of the Fieldhouse cheered against Attucks last Saturday night. Why was it? We had a spy in the Muncie section, and here is his report:

Muncie fans regarded their team as the UNDERDOG, believe it or not. Presumably that was also the feeling of Columbus and Rushville backers. They were fighting against the power-packed aggregation from the big city.

Muncie fans knew the Attucks players. "Oscar Robertson is going to decide this thing," one of them kept saying. How right he was!

"Well, we gave 'em a good game," was the observation of a Bearcat fan when it was over.

All this seems like top-spy, land to Attucks supporters who have seen the Tigers rated behind Muncie all season long. Maybe we in Indianapolis do not fully appreciate the prestige Ray Crowe's boys have won around the state.

There was absolutely no racial prejudice in the Muncie section, our spy reported. Muncie, of course, has had Negro players from time immemorial.

At Bloomington, on the other hand, when the score was announced with Attucks ahead, a great cheer went up. Maybe it's our old Anderson upbringing, but we just can't picture the majority of Hoosiers being for Muncie Central. The only real reason, of course, is the Bearcats have defeated too many opponents too many times.

OUR NOMINATION for worst sport of the year: that Columbus feller who got real smart, used several disguises and bought 8 Attucks tickets after not even trying to get one at Columbus. Did the punk realize he was depriving 8 loyal Attucks fans—some of whom have driven hundreds of miles to watch the Tigers—of a chance to see the tourney? Or have we thrown away every vestige of honor in this Hoosier Hysteria?

As a matter of fact Colum-

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# 13 Negroes, 7 Whites Are Big Four Starters

When the Final Foursome of high school basketball teams take the floor at Butler Fieldhouse on Saturday, their starting lineups will include 13 Negro boys and 7 whites.

The squads as a whole will be made up of 23 colored lads and 17 of Caucasian ancestry. The septa player has come into his own as never before. This is the outstanding feature as the tournament heads for a very probable all-Negro finale.

Favored to meet in the championship game are Attucks of Indianapolis and Roosevelt of Gary—and there isn't a paleface among 'em.

Ever since the start of the season this newspaper has been writing about the possibility of several Negro teams making it to the last go-round. For our pains we have been accused of "race-baiting" and "trying to start a riot."

Nothing of the kind. To encourage Negro teams and players does not mean to belittle the whites.

COLORED STARS have been identified with Mr. IHSA's shoot-out for about 25 years. Let us recall such great names as Marion George, Anderson; Dave Dejerrett, Washington; Jack Mann, Muncie; Willie Clemons, Anderson; George Crowe, Franklin; Charley and Bill Harmon, Washington; Jim Deierrett, Washington; and Chester Blanks, Ft. Wayne Central.

With the beginning of the "modern era" in 1946, tan hoopers began to arrive at the Finals in wholesale lots. The title tilt of that year—Shelbyville's "three-on-two" team took it all, with Bill Garrett, Emerson Johnson and Marshall Murray in the Golden Bears' first string.

Then we had Ernie Hall, Lafayette, and Ernie Shine, South Bend Central. Attucks made history in '51 but Muncie Central with Jim Sullivan and Carl Miller took the cake.

Al Northington played for Tech in '52. It was Paul Harvey, Bill Harmon and Horace Blanton for South Bend Central in '53, while Lamar Lundy and Tommy Fletcher played for Richmond.

Last year Muncie had Bob Crawford, Jimmy Barnes and John Casterlow, while Erich Barnes was in Elkhart's lineup.

THE PRESENT SEASON, however, has seen the greatest rise by all-Negro TEAMS since they were admitted to the IHSA in 1943. Not only Attucks and Roosevelt, but the third remaining colored school in the state—Lincoln of Evansville—posted a fine record. Lincoln was the only undefeated major team in Indiana during the regular season.

The three Negro teams have a combined record of 75 victories and only 4 losses so far this season.

"Outnumbered" 749 to 3 if you want to look at it that way, they have sent two of their number to the Final Foursome.

NEGRO BOYS HAVE almost monopolized the scoring honors in the tourney thus far. Attucks' Oscar Robertson and Roosevelt's Dick Barnett were one-two in the Regionals.

In the Semifinals, Robertson again led with 44 points, while Roosevelt's Wilson Eison was second with 42 and Leroy Johnson, Mishawaka sophomore, third with 40. Then came Harold "Ace" Johnson of New Albany with 36 and Muncie's John Casterlow with 35.

All this has not caused the heavens to fall and, to the surprise of some, an Attucks-Roosevelt final game won't either. Both the Tigers and Panthers are trying to bring first titles to their home cities of Indianapolis and Gary respectively. And the home folks,



**VICTORS AND VANQUISHED:** The knowledge that they had played their best in one of the greatest hardwood battles of all time provided a bond of admiration and sympathy for Attucks and Muncie Central players immediately after the game. Here

in the depths of Butler Fieldhouse bravely smiling Jim Hinds (40) of Muncie is hugged by (left to right) Sam Milton, Bill Hampton, Bill Scott, Oscar Robertson and Billy Brown of Attucks. (Recorder Photos by Leonard T. Clark)



**WHOLE TEAM ON BROWN:** Bouncin' Billy Brown, who plays that ball as if it belonged to him, here is hemmed in by the entire Muncie Central team. Bearcats are John Casterlow (50), Jim Hinds

(arr. showing), George Burks (51), Phil Raiser and Jimmy Barnes (12). At right Sheddric Mitchell (44) lends moral support to Brown. P. S. Billy settled for a jump ball and a finger in his eye.



By CHARLES S. PRESTON

Attucks won the dream game! Ray Crowe's boys out-battled a classy Muncie Central team, 71-70, in a tilt that was all anyone could ask for. Both teams played at their finest. Any other year, either one would deserve to be state champion.

It was the fighting heart and great all-round ability of Oscar Robertson that finally told the story.

The 16-year-old junior, who must now be rated the top Indianapolis player of all time, paced the evening's scoring with 25 points on shots from both far and near. He led all Semifinal shooters in the state with 44 points for two games, as he had led the Regionals the week before.

Oscar caused Muncie's ace forward, Gene Flowers, to spend 12 minutes on the bench with four personals on him—which may have been fatal to the Bearcat cause.

And at the very finish, when Muncie might have pulled the game out with one shot (or a shot and a rebound), it was Robertson with a quick eye and a prodigious leap who intercepted a high pass and dribbled the remaining 8 seconds away.

At the end he tossed the ball high in the air. We believe he intended to kill the last few seconds that way, as Howe and Shortridge players had done in the Sectional. But it was all over already, with the buzzer's final note lost in the frenzied roar of the fans.

COLD STATISTICS—that this was the highest-scoring game in the history of the Indianapolis Semifinal—can't begin to describe the excitement and glory of that night. It was a death-struggle of giants—and both the giants were ready.

For comparison you have to go back four years, to the Attucks Big Team's 81-80 victory over Anderson in the Regional. And it's likely to be another four years before as good a game comes along again. There will never be a better.

Crowe's Tigers had been waiting all year for this one. "We had a grudge to settle," said Guard Bill Hampton who scored 10 points including three baskets in Attucks' opening rush. The grudge wasn't exactly against the Bearcats; but the Tigers were sick and tired of seeing themselves rated No. 2 while Muncie was No. 1.

SOME EXPECTED a one-sided game. They seemed to have it when Attucks opened up a 10-5 lead on free throws by Robertson, a shot from the pivot by Willie Merriweather, two buckets by Hampton and a pretty hook by Sheddric Mitchell (four baskets in five shots). Muncie closed to 10-9, and then Attucks was off for the stratosphere. Mitchell hit a pair of free ones and Hampton, Merriweather and Bill Scott scored in rapid-fire order. It was 18-9 and Muncie called time to put out the fire.

That was the first eighth of the game. The second eighth was just the reverse. Big John Casterlow, who didn't look a bit sick, was unstoppable under the boards as he paced the Bearcats to outscore Attucks

14-4 in the next four minutes. The feverish pace slackened off a bit in the second period. Robertson went to work for Attucks but Flowers threw 'em in for Muncie. Gene held a 12-10 lead over Oscar when Coach Jay McCreary jerked him to the bench. He was hurting with personals—four of them, all committed against Robertson.

With only 4 seconds remaining, deadly shooting Jimmy Barnes hit a jump shot to give Muncie a 43-40 advantage at the half.

THE THIRD QUARTER saw, as Robertson matched baskets with corner-shooting Phil Raiser. Muncie held its last lead at 53-51, with 2:25 remaining in the period. Then Robertson scored from the pivot, Merriweather picked up a charity toss and it was "Little Oscar" from 'way out to give Attucks a 56-53 upper hand.

It was an old story to Tiger fans who have seen Attucks pull up and around in the third quarter many times this season. But this Bearcat refused to stay dead.

Earnes, who never wastes time, hit a jump shot with one second to go and it was Attucks 58-57 at the third stop.

Then the Tigers pulled away but it was as hard as pulling teeth. Bill Brown's free throw made it 59, and with 6 minutes to play Robertson took a rebound and drove the length of the floor for a 3-point lead. Scott's free toss made it 62-57.

Here Flowers returned to the game to spark Muncie's final bid. He scored 4 to Oscar's 3 the rest of the way, but of course Attucks was trying to freeze it.

A FREE THROW by Oscar made it 69-63 with 2:07 to go. Some thought it was all over, but how wrong they were! Casterlow hit at 1:53 and at 1:37 Oscar took a shot that looked foolish—till it went in.

Merriweather fouled out at 1:12. Jim Hinds made both free throws and it was 71-67. This went along till 1:29, when Brown fouled Casterlow and he turned it into a 3-point play, with Flowers on the tipping end, 71-70.

Attucks froze the ball but with 11 seconds to go, Barnes pushed Hampton out of bounds and the official gave it to Muncie. Fred Scott, subbing for Raiser, threw it in to Barnes and he lofted it down-court toward Hinds. Instead of arriving there, its flight was arrested by an Oscar.

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**DOWN MEMORY LANE** (continued from last wk.)  
 (Still talking about Wendell Phillips Dabney)  
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**"AT 83 DABNEY IS EDITOR,** business manager, stenographer and proof-reader for his paper. His subscribers are world-wide. Last year the Cincinnati Times-Star devoted a page in celebration of his birthday. To whites of the country he is sage and prophet; to colored people who regard him as their greatest genius, he is oracle and guide.

**"DABNEY'S FARM,** one of the beauty spots of the Ohio Valley, is but 15 minutes from the center of the city and overlooks the Ohio river. Many offers have been made research authorities. He wrote Cincinnati's "Colored Citizens." The University of Cincinnati judged it one of the great for it, but Dabney refuses to sell. His books are considered books of the times. His story of Maggie Walker, the noted colored woman banker of Richmond, is considered a history of Virginia.

**"HIS HOME,** situated within a block of the home and labors of Harriet Beecher Stowe, contains a library of 10,000 volumes."

**THE RECENT DEATH OF JOE MITCHELL,** brings to mind the many well known persons along the main stem that have died in the past 15 years. . . Among them were: Andrew Sharpe, James Suggs, Andrew (Big Perk) Perkins, Horace Stone, Harry (Goosie) Lee, Fox Brown, Herb Houser, George Hambrick, Vernon Anderson, Weldon Beverly, Archie (Joker) Young, Upsha Bell, Fruster Jones, Hewlie Pinkston, Pete Smith, Lyman Kelly, Herb Willis, Howard Harding, Speedy Burton, Jim Mayes, Chappie Dunbar, Joe Evans, Bill Penish, Parse Alexander, Lt. Preston Heater, Sgt. Norval Bennett, Raymond Dee, Rube Page, Lonnie Seymour, Dick Shaw, John Brevington, Big Roosevelt, "Beef Head" and others.

**THE FABULOUS HARLEM GLOBETROTTERS,** Abe Saperstein's Harlem Globetrotters will meet the 1955 College All-Americans in the 6th annual World Series basketball game Monday, April 4th at 8:30 in the Butler Fieldhouse plus world famous theatrical artists. . . Readers are advised to order their tickets now. . . As they are GOING FAST and all SEATS are RESERVED. . . Mail orders RUSH to Win-nor Productions, Inc., 8 E. Market St., Room 410, Indianapolis, Ind. Include check or money order and stamped self-addressed envelope for ticket return. . . Don't DELAY—Order TODAY.

**BREEZING ALONG WITH THE NEWS,** Louis Pierson in town last week visiting friends. . . Leo Phillips spent 6 days recently vacationing in Hopkinsville. . . The fella will do a repeat number next month. . . Emmett Rudolph is reported out of the Veterans' Hospital and resting in a convalescent home in Northwestern Avenue. . . Claude Brown's mother celebrated her 91st birthday a few days with her sons in from Chicago for the celebration.

**LEROY (SPORTY) JOHNSON** was royally feted by friends on his natal day 2 wks. back. . . The fella dropped in last Tuesday nite and came on like "Gangbusters". . . R. M. Avington, the popular beer salesman, was seen on the stroll shaking hands with old acquaintances. . . Grady Hinkle, the real estate tycoon, has a good bargain for the right people. . . Dig his adv. on classified page. . . Joe Makel, top sales representative with Calvert Distillers, jumped in town last wk. to push Calvert sales. . . Mr. Makel formerly operated an appliance store at 21st and Boulevard. . . The popular Cyril Childs continues to dish out that fine service at the Elite Club. . . Drop in anytime from 6 p.m. till 12 midnight and meet the gang. . . Robbie Robinson is congenial manager of the bistro. . . Dropped in at The Subway, down Indiana-Ave-way, and things were real mellow. . . Also met people from all parts of town.

**IT WAS REAL SWELL,** . . Among the contributors to the Lola Barbee floral offerings were: Willis B. Dyer, Flo Garvin, Ophelia Hoy, Vickie Brooks, Charles B. Lee, Cy Jones, Robert C. Robinson, Luthur Kurtz, Friends of 1523 Club, Earl Cole, R. B. Thompson, Herman Twines, Doyle Smith, Howard (Hobo) Ellis, Huron (Jigsaw) Head, Coycte, Robert Barnes, Kenneth Dickerson, Dewitt Rogers, Opal Stewart, Edith Fitz's mother, Sea H. Ferguson, Tiny Baldwin, Raymond Butler, M. Tellefere, Wesley Harrell, William Gooch, Jon Lei, A. King, Bob Cross, Amanda Lyerson, Piggy Clay, Ray Foster, Leo Lesser, Jr., Buddy Parker, Jimmy & Ollie Coe, LaGayette McDonald and Oliver Miles. Solicitors were Mrs. Flo Garvin, Miss Edith Fitzhugh and Miss LaGayette McDonald. . . The donations were separate from those taken in at the Memorial held at the Sunset Terrace in the memory of the beloved singer, luscious Lola Barbee.

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## Billy Stewart Continues To Draw On Tour Through The Midwest

Theatrically referred to as the Quaker City of Brotherly Love, contribution to modern music, Bill Stewart, Philadelphia's alto sax blowing maestro, continues to tick through the Middle West adding new laurels to his musical conquests.

Through the offices of the Robert Hough Associates, N. Y. C. piloting the destiny of the unit, comes word of an engagement, packaged with the Fay Laurence star-studded revue to appear at

the Dinner Club, New Castle, Ind., Sunday, March 20, the popular playhouse of eastern Indiana.

Bill contributes his rise to popularity via TV and recordings to the new and welcoming sounds that he is able to offer through the medium of the alto sax.

He further implies his admiration for Charlie "Yardbird" Parker, Benny Carter, Lee Konitz and Johnny Hodges for their contribution by way of the alto sax.

## "River Of No Return" At Walker Sunday

Your Walker Theater is now showing "Reaching From Heaven" with Regis Toomey and an all-star cast plus "Saadia" starring Mei Ferrer in Technicolor with Disney Cartoon Carnival and serial completing the bill.

Starting Sunday will be in Technicolor and on CinemaScope screen.

Sarah Vaughan On  
 "Toast of Town" March 20

CHICAGO (ANP) — Songstress Sarah Vaughan will join comedian Sam Levenson and bandleader Xavier Cugat on Ed Sullivan's "Toast of the Town" variety show March 20.

Miss Vaughan is riding the crest of a popularity wave and is being billed as the "new Sarah" since she started singing "pop" tunes.

## March 27 Busy Day For Leontyne Price

NEW YORK (ANP)—March 27 will be a busy day for Soprano Leontyne Price as she will participate in a 90-minute color TV show and then 15 minutes later present her first radio solo recital.

Miss Price will star in a recreation of her TV-triumph as Tosca in the title role of Puccini's opera. Josh Wheeler, who sang the role of Scarpia in the full production, will be seen with Miss Price in the opera segment.

The gaganic show titled "Entertainment 1955," will be televised from 6:30 to 8 p.m. on NBC-TV.

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## "Dragnet" Opens Sun. At Douglas Theater

"Dragnet," the picture starring Jack Webb, will open Sunday at the Douglas theater and continue thru Tuesday. Here is the picture you have been waiting for with the star that you have thrilled to on radio and television. Now you can see the great Jack Webb on a big wide screen, and in down to earth acting in a picture that has thrilled millions of movie goers from coast to coast. Don't miss this great cinema attraction at the Douglas Sunday thru Tuesday.

## ROSE CITY TURNS TO ENTERTAINING

New Castle, Indiana, located in the central-eastern part of the state, will continue to be the mecca of dancing feet come Sunday, when the fast stepping chorus of Fay Laurence and his nationally known Female Impersonators take over entertainment-wise at the popular Dinner Club.

The playhouse which caters to a highly mixed clientele, operates on eastern standard time; with dancing slated to start at eight o'clock.

Management of the Dinner Club announces the presenting of the Fay Laurence troupe as an innovation in policy, that will include their presenting floor shows and packaged arrangements, coupled to offer high class Sunday evening entertainment. Hitherto the house policy leaned towards the use of combos, and mostly dancing.

Also "Room For One More" with Cary Grant.

Now showing at the Douglas is "Apache Rose" with Roy Rogers and Dale Evans. On the same bill is "Seen My Gal" starring Rock Hudson and Piper Laurie.

Wednesday and Thursday will see "The Man in the Attic" with Jack Palance plus "Gorilla At Large" starring Cameron Mitchell and Ann Bancroft.



**HORACE ("Lord Calvert") GRIFFITH** of Calvert Distillers Co. and Vera Francis make a colorful couple at the National Urban League's Beaux Arts Ball at the Savoy Ballroom in New York City.

## Nat 'King' Cole, Hamilton To Do One-Niters Tour

NEW YORK (ANP)—Nat "King" Cole and Roy Hamilton will head a package unit that will do one-niters in most of the major cities throughout the country.

The stint is expected to run from six to eight weeks.

Cole will probably start with the unit on April 22 and finish on May 1, after which he will be appearing at the Chez Paree in Chicago.

Roy Hamilton will join the company May 12 and continue the tour.

Laverne Baker, the Drifters, Erskine Hawkins, and Leo DeLyon will appear with the package unit.

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# Lowell Fulson "Blues Singer" at Sunset Sun., Mar. 27

## MUSICAL UPBEAT Plus Choker Campbell's Ork.

By BOB WOMACK

**CONTRACTS ON ENGAGEMENTS:**—The way things are in Naptown today among the bandleaders, owners and managers of some of the spots, all units should have a written AFM contract on all engagements whether short or a long term location gig. I also might add that some of the leaders are DEALING UNDER THE TABLE with the club managers in other words, they are not receiving the amount of "bread" that appears on the written contract. Many union musicians are working but are not getting the scale set by the local branch of the American Federation of Musicians here. There is a certain spot that is employing a combo with only a verbal agreement, nothing on paper. If the owners and managers of clubs, taverns or ballrooms should dislike a member of the group even to the bandleader, they can let them go without a notice; those who are dealing, could turn the leader in to the union without receiving a fine.

**FOR YOUR INFORMATION** the best musicians in the city are members of the AFM and why should some of them work for any LOW PAID SPOT when the top-flight bistro are making all the "loot." I have been told by some of the club managers that they were not making any money with entertainment on their bandstands. I don't see why? . . . Maybe they are not running their businesses right (could be play-boys). It is a proven fact that over the country and here "LIVE MUSIC DRAWS THE PEOPLE". . . Dig George's Bar; Club Udel; Cotton Club and the Sunset Terrace Ballroom.

**THAT "MODERN" JAZZ LOOK:** . . . This relatively recent trend toward progressive or modern jazz has become so formidable as to take over at least half of the central limelight once ruled over solely by denizens of the "hot" variety. The new cult has made such tremendous gains in popularity that it has not only weaned some of the elder jazz fans from the "hot" sides, but has attracted hosts of new fans—all this despite efforts of diehards who resist change and who claim there is nothing like the brand of music dished out by stalwarts of old. But here is room for both, each has its own contribution to make, each can borrow from or collaborate with the other to make even greater "jazz."

**WHERE THEY ARE GIGGING:** . . . Jimmie Cole and his United Recording combo featuring Bobbie Marshall on vocals still waiting at George's Bar. Specks Maynard and crew at this writing set for five nites a week at the Club Emerson. . . Les "Ax" Taylor packing the Cotton-house. . . Bill Stafford and his RCA group the talk of the club forums as well as Buddy Bryant. . . Lanny Price and his Brass Rail Tavern combo going into their second year. . . Johnson Collins still holding down the "Topper Club" bandstand. . . Willis Dyer, the "Hammon man," and his sensational crew playing to SRO at the Tropic Club.

**INDIANAPOLIS MUSICIANS LOCAL NO. 3 NEWS:** . . . A special meeting, pursuant to a duly signed, and duly filed petition and said petition, petitioned under Article VII, Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5, of Indianapolis Musicians' Constitution and By-Laws, will be held at 542 East Eleventh Street, on March 27, 1955, at 2 P. M. sharp, for the express purpose of: "Discussion relative to, and resolution thereof, of traveling minimums, as set out in the Price List of 1955." . . . As some of you cats know by now, Lloyd Wilson, Sec'y, strongly supported Bill No. 390, which would allow taverns, and clubs to remain open an extra hour; however, the bill was defeated in the State Senate recently by a vote of 34-59, 7 not voting. Mr. Wilson stated to this reporter that "he will not give up the fight, in seeing that this bill, be passed at the next session of the Senate; our musicians, and all other related workers, over the State of Indiana, would naturally benefit from a mere one hour extension. In some cases, it would mean one hour's more pay, and in others, it would create jobs that do not now exist. Proprietors could afford entertainment, and acts, that are now by-passing Indiana." Mr. Wilson went on to say, "he sent out letters to all the State Representatives acquainting them with this situation, also that he intends to send copies of the letter to the entire membership of the Federation of Musicians, in the State of Indiana. In addition, this information will be made available to the Indiana State Federation of Labor and also Central Labor Bodies of various counties."

**DID YOU KNOW** that Nat (King) Cole is recognized as a great 88'er, however his fine voice has gained him fame and wealth. He states, "My voice is nothing to be proud of but what he lacks in singing he makes up in ability. Cole in ten years has sold over 19,000,000 copies of Capitol Records, has never waxed a bad one yet. . . What a record. . . Like "Nature Boy" and "Unforgettable" sold more than 1,000,000 copies each. Nat has grossed \$2,500,000 annually for Capitol Records. Unlike many great stars, the "King" is one celebrity whom husbands and boy friends can watch, then go home and sleep without squirming. For he and his wife are inseparable. In fact, very much in love with each other and how.

**FOR LAUGHS.** . . . Jack Carson says that when two women suddenly get friendly, it is a sign that some third woman has lost two friends. . . W. C. Fields was once cautioned by a doctor that drinking would shorten his life. "But," said the doctor, "if you stop drinking you can prolong your days." "I believe you're right about that, Doc," sighed the comedian. "I remember once about two years ago I went twenty-four hours without a drink. I never lived a longer day in my life!" . . . George Gobel says that women drivers would be as good as men if it weren't for one thing: Fenders. . . A local cat told me once. . . Every time that I pass a cemetery I think I am apartment hunting. . . (Smile).

**ATTENTION—CLUBS, NITE SPOTS, ETC.:** BOB WOMACK AND HIS COMBO are now available for engagements in and out of the city at bargain rates, for information call: HI. 9704—TA. 6138 or write 1926 1/2 North Capitol Ave., Indianapolis 2, Ind. The combo recently completed an eight-week location at the Ferguson Hotel Lounge. The group has played some of the top spots in the city, namely: Club Udel; Marott; Lincoln; Claypool Hotels; Dell's Nite Club; '39' Club and others in and out of the state.

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Don't fail to attend the Spring Festival Dance at the newly reopened Sunset Terrace on Sunday night, March 27, when Lowell Fulson, America's featured blues singer, and Choker Campbell and his orchestra invade the popular dancery for a one nite stand. The dance is sponsored by a group of young men, who have gone all out to give Naptowners the best attractions available on the road today.

Featured songs on the dance bill will include such outstanding song hits as "Reconsider Baby," "Last Night," "Every Day," and "I Have The Blues." These popular songs are favorites with dancers throughout the country and are must playing on your favorite juke box. Don't fail to hear singer Lowell Fulson, when he hits the deck Sunday nite, March 27 at your popular dancery.

Coming attractions include Muddy Waters and Paul Williams on April 3, The Clovers on April 17 and Tiny Bradshaw on April 24. Advance tickets are now on sale at Doyle's Eat Shop, Edwards' Record Shop, The Indianapolis Recorder and Sunset Cigar Store.

### MAHALIA JACKSON TV SHOWS SET

CHICAGO (ANP)—Mahalia Jackson, called the greatest gospel singer of our time, will open the first of two television shows featuring her March 17.

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**CONTEST RULES**

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2. All ballots must be filled out correctly and clearly.
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4. Only official ballot can be used.
5. Each ballot is worth 10 votes to each artist named.

## SUNSET TO DANCE FRIDAY EVENING WITH CONSONANTS

Shifty Calloway, 753 Indiana policy of playing records, the Sunset Terrace, dance emporium, will present a gala party Friday evening, under the sponsorship of the Consonants, popular social group about town, as host.

Dancing will start at 9 p. m. with a gift at 50 cents per person

Sammy Davis, Jr., Roy Hamilton Top Downbeat Disc Jockey Poll

CHICAGO (ANP)—Sammy Davis, Jr., and Roy Hamilton topped new male singers in the second annual "Downbeat" magazine disc jockey poll.

Davis, who is staging a dramatic comeback following an auto accident in which he lost his left eye, was voted the top new male singer of the year while Hamilton placed second. The poll was taken among some 2,300 disc jockeys.

The top recording personality of the year according to the deejays was Frank Sinatra. Nat Cole and Sarah Vaughan finished eighth and ninth among the top recording personalities.

Cab Calloway Headlines Salute to French Ambassador

NEW YORK (ANP)—Cab Calloway flew to New York from the West Coast recently to headline a "Salute to France" dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria sponsored by the American National Theatre and Academy.

Representing the tour of "Porgy and Bess" which is now in Europe, Calloway sang "It Ain't Necessarily So."

He escorted Mrs. Calloway to the reception line which greeted M. Couve de Murville, the new French ambassador in whose honor the dinner was held.

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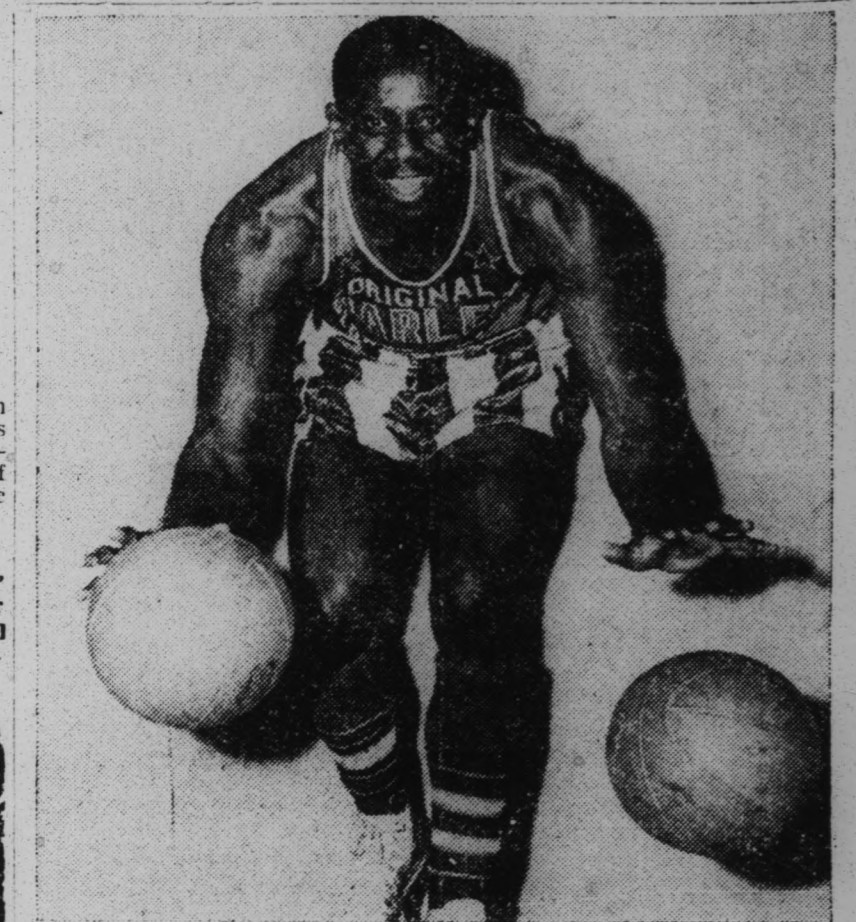
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## Legal Notices

Cary D. Jacobs, Atty.  
COMPLAINT FOR DIVORCE  
State of Indiana, Marion County,

ss: In the Superior Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, William A. Parks, vs. Gussie Mae Parks.

BE IT KNOWN, That on the 4th day of March, 1955, the above named plaintiff, by his attorneys, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, his complaint against the above named defendant Gussie Mae Parks and the said plaintiff having also filed in said Clerk's office the affidavit of a competent person, showing that the residence of the defendant, upon diligent inquiry, is unknown, and the defendant Gussie Mae Parks, lives at Rural Route 1, Aragon, Georgia, is not a resident of the State of Indiana, and that said cause of action is for divorce and that the defendant Gussie Mae Parks is a necessary party thereto and whereas said plaintiff having by endorsement on said complaint required said defendant to appear in said Court and answer or demur thereto on the 9th day of May, 1955.

NOW, THEREFORE, by order of said Court, said defendant last above named is hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said complaint against her and that unless she appear and answer or demur thereto at the calling of said cause on the 9th day of May, 1955, the same being the 7th judicial day of a term of said Court, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Indianapolis, on the first Monday in May, 1955, said complaint and the matters and things therein contained and alleged will be heard and determined in her absence.

H. Dale Brown, Clerk.  
3/12/55.

Frank R. Beckwith, Atty.  
COMPLAINT FOR DIVORCE  
State of Indiana, Marion County,

ss: In the Circuit Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, James H. Cross, Jr., Plaintiff, Beatrice M. Cross, Defendant.

BE IT KNOWN, That on the 11th day of January, 1955, the above named plaintiff, by his attorneys, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, his complaint against the above named defendant Beatrice M. Cross and the said plaintiff having also filed in said Clerk's office the affidavit of a competent person, showing that the residence of the defendant, upon diligent inquiry, is unknown, and the defendant Beatrice M. Cross, 1209 Side Street, Louisville, Kentucky, is not a resident of the State of Indiana, and that said cause of action is for divorce and that the defendant Beatrice M. Cross is a necessary party thereto and whereas said plaintiff having by endorsement on said complaint required said defendant to appear in said Court, and answer or demur thereto on the 5th day of May, 1955.

NOW, THEREFORE, by order of said Court, said defendant last above named is hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said complaint against her and that unless she appear and answer or demur thereto at the calling of said cause on the 5th day of May, 1955, the same being the 4th judicial day of a term of said Court, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Indianapolis, on the first Monday in May, 1955, said complaint and the matters and things therein contained and alleged will be heard and determined in her absence.

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The State Reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All bidders shall submit samples to Conrad Ochotko, Supt. of Industries, Indiana State Prison, Michigan City, Indiana, the bid of any bidder failing to submit samples will not be considered.

Copies of the detailed instructions to bidders and plans and/or specifications may be obtained from the Division of Public Works and Supply, Room 404, State House, Indianapolis, Indiana. WILLIAM E. CLARKSON, Director, Division, Public Works and Supply, 3/12/55.

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### Mrs. Pearl Stewart

Services for Mrs. Pearl Stewart, 68, 5553 E. 34th street, were conducted March 12 by the Stuart Mortuary at Wayman Chapel AME Church in Lyles Station, Ind. Mrs. Stewart, a member of the church where services were held, died in an Indianapolis hospital March 9. Burial was in Sand Hill Cemetery, Princeton, Ind., where she was born. She had lived in Indianapolis the past nine years. Surviving are a son, Vernal Stewart, Indianapolis, two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

### Mrs. Ruby White

Services for Mrs. Ruby L. White, 46, 611 W. 13th, who died in General hospital March 3, were held March 7 at the Jacobs Brothers Westside Funeral Home with burial in New Crown. Born in Green Brier, Tenn. she lived here 30 years. Surviving are her husband, Eddie G. White; two sisters, Mrs. Gerda Adkins, Terre Haute, Ind., and Mrs. Beatrice Ford, Indianapolis, and three brothers, Frank Utley, Los Angeles; Nelson and Wardell Utley, both of Indianapolis.

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### Mattiwilda Dobbs Will Make U. S. Opera Debut In San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. (ANP)—Mattiwilda Dobbs, sensational coloratura soprano and the first Negro to sing in Italy's famed La Scala opera house, will make her American operatic debut with the San Francisco Opera company next fall.

Kurt Herbert Adler, director of the company, announced last week that Miss Dobbs would sing the leading soprano role, the Queen of Shoshkha, in Rimsky-Korsakov's "Le Coo d'Or."

Miss Dobbs sang with La Scala in March 4, 1953, in the role of

Elvira in Rossini's "The Italian in Algiers." She had the Queen of Shoshkha role last year in London's Covent Garden at a special gala performance honoring a state visit of the King and Queen of Sweden. The King decorated her with the Order of the North Star.

In 1950, Miss Dobbs won first prize in singing at the International Music Competition in Geneva, Switzerland in 1950.

### William Owsley

Services for William Owsley, 67, 215 Bright, who died in General hospital March 5, were held at the Peoples Funeral Home March 9 with burial in Floral Park.

A native of Port Gibson, Miss., he lived here 40 years and was a retired construction worker.

Survivors are a son, Alfred Owsley, one granddaughter, Miss Edna Owsley, and four grandchildren.

### Woman 31, Mother Of 17 Children

DERMOTT, Ark. (ANP)—Mrs. Alma Lee Brown is 31 years old, and last week, she gave birth to triplets-raising the total of children born to her to 17.

Previously Mrs. Brown and her 36-year-old husband, Jesse, had two sets of twins. Attendants at the hospital reported the children as being in excellent condition.

The firstborn of the three was Mary, weighing 4 pounds, 3 ounces. Following her were Harry and Larry, each weighing 4 pounds, 9 ounces.

The father is from a family of 11 children and Mrs. Brown is one of 14 children. Eight of the couple's 17 children are living.

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'49 CAD. SED. . .	\$700	\$643	'51 CHRYSL. SED. . .	\$1195	\$997
'49 OLDS CL. CPE. . .	\$345	\$299	'51 KAIS. SED. . .	\$595	\$297
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## In Memoriam



LEOLA ELLIS

ELLIS—In loving memory of our daughter, LEOLA ELLIS, who passed away March 14, 1944. The one God gave and then took from us. Is at Peace in the Isle of the Blest. And even while bitter tears fall dear We know God in His wisdom knew best. Lucille Johnson, Mother and Family.



MARVIN CALVIN YOUNG

YOUNG—In loving remembrance of our dear son and father, MARVIN CALVIN YOUNG, who passed away March 19, 1953. Dear one, although we'll no more see Your lovely face and gentle smile, We're happy that the Good God gave us you, if only for a while. Nola Young Atkins, Mother, William Young, Father, and His Children.



ELLA M. HARRIS

HARRIS—In memory of my beloved mother, ELLA M. HARRIS, who departed this life March 20, 1953. March brings sad memories Of a loved one gone to rest; She will never be forgotten By the one who loved her best. Ora Lee Smith, Daughter.

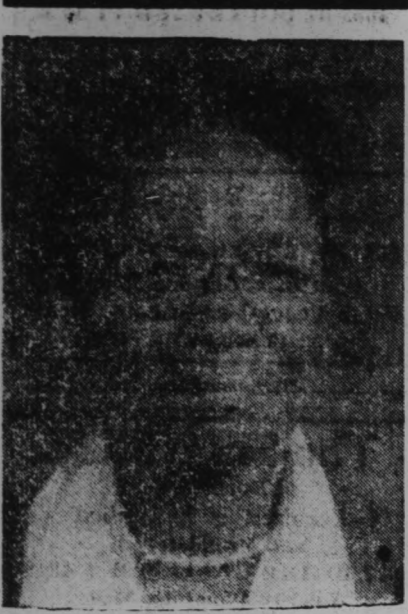
CAIN—In loving memory of our sister, GENEVA CAIN, who passed away March 11, 1953. Deep in our lives is a lonely spot, Your bright face used to fill; But naught can take your memory That shines there, and always will. Ethel Groves, Lena Perry, Sisters, George S. Bowman, Brother.

BOWMAN—In loving memory of our father, JOSEPH BOWMAN, SR., who passed away March 18, 1943. To have, to love, and then to part, Is the greatest sorrow of one's heart. Family, Mattie Helm, Mary McQuany, Beatrice Stewart, Joseph S. Bowman

JONES—In loving memory of my dear mother, MRS. MAMIE JONES, who departed March 17, 1945. They say time heals all sorrow, And helps us to forget But time so far has only proven, How much we miss you yet. God gave us strength to face it, And courage to stand the blow But what it meant to lose her, No one will ever know. Delphine Griffin, Daughter, Clarence Griffin, Son-in-Law.

McGEE—In loving memory of our dear husband and grandfather, ELDER HAYDEN McGEE, who passed away March 18, 1954. In our hour of fond remembrance, Thoughts of you are always near. We who loved you sadly miss you. As there dawn another year. Dora McGee, Wife, Elora Shack, Granddaughter, Frances Perkins, Niece.

## In Memoriam



LULA HAMPTON

HAMPTON—In loving remembrance of our beloved mother, LULA HAMPTON, who passed away March 11, 1947. What is home without a mother? All things this world may send. But when we lost our darling mother, We lost our dearest friend. Sadly missed by children, Mae Mayberry, Ted Hunt, George Hurt, Violet Fox.

BLACKBURN—In loving memory of our wife and mother, JESSIE BEATRICE BLACKBURN, who passed away March 11, 1954. Gone but never to be forgot. While life and memory last, Is our dear loved one And the happy days long past. The Family.

WATKINS—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, WILLIAM WATKINS, who passed away seventeen years ago March 18, 1938. March brings sad memories Of a loved one gone to rest, Who will never be forgotten By the one who loved her best. Mrs. Lucy Watkins, Wife, Walter Watkins, Son, Katie M. Watkins, Daughter.

MURRAY—In loving memory of Fannie B. Murray, who passed away March 13, 1949. But when the sun in all his state, Illumed the eastern skies She passed through Glory's morning gate And walked in Paradise. Charlotte H. Murray.

HACKNEY—We wish to thank the many friends, neighbors and relatives for the many kindnesses shown during the sudden passing of our dear husband and father, ROBERT LEE HACKNEY—We especially thank Rev. Plummer D. Jacobs, the singers, those who sent cards, telegrams and floral offerings, the Community Club, and Jacobs Bros. Funeral Home. To each and everyone who assisted us in anyway to lighten our great sorrow, we thank you. Cassie Hackney, Wife, Robert LaVern, Willie L. McClain, Sons.

Frank R. Beckwith, Atty. COMPLAINT FOR DIVORCE State of Indiana, Marion County, ss:

In the Circuit Court of Marion County, In the State of Indiana, Orlaster L. McCauley, Plaintiff, —vs— Napoleon A. McCauley, Defendant. No. 73594. BE IT KNOWN, That on the 11th day of January, 1955, the above plaintiff, by her attorneys, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, her complaint against the above named defendant Napoleon A. McCauley and the said plaintiff having also filed in said Clerk's office the affidavit of a competent person, showing that the residence of the defendant, upon diligent inquiry, is unknown, and the defendant Napoleon A. McCauley is not a resident of the State of Indiana, and that said cause of action is for divorce and that the defendant Napoleon A. McCauley is a necessary party thereto and whereas said plaintiff having by endorsement on said complaint required said defendant to appear in said Court, and answer or demur thereto on the 19th day of May, 1955, the same being the 16th judicial day of a term of said Court, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Indianapolis, on the first Monday of May, 1955, said plaintiff and the matters and things therein contained and alleged will be heard and determined in his absence. H. Dale Brown, Clerk. 3/19/55.

NOTICE ON FINAL ACCOUNT, ETC., TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM E. RICE In the Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana. March Term, 1955. In the matter of the estate of William E. Rice, deceased. Estate Docket 158, Page 58258. Notice is hereby given that Max M. Plessner as Administrator of the above named estate, has presented and filed his final account in final settlement of said estate and petition for distribution, and that the same will come up for the examination and action of said Probate Court, on the 21st day of March, 1955, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear in said Court and show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be approved. And the heirs of said decedent and all others interested are also required to appear and make proof of their heirship or claim to any part of said estate. Max M. Plessner, Personal Representative, H. Dale Brown, Clerk. 3/5/55.

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Clarence D. Bolden, Atty. COMPLAINT FOR DIVORCE State of Indiana, Marion County, ss: In the Circuit Court of Marion County, In the State of Indiana, Harry E. Poston, Plaintiff, —vs— Mabel Poston, Defendant. No. 73912. BE IT KNOWN, That on the 14th day of March, 1955, the above named plaintiff, by his attorneys, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, his complaint against the above named defendant Mabel Poston and the said plaintiff having also filed in said Clerk's office the affidavit of a competent person, showing that the residence of the defendant, upon diligent inquiry, is unknown, and the defendant, Mabel Poston, 107 Chandler Street, Sumter, South Carolina, is not a resident of the State of Indiana, and that said cause of action is for a divorce and that the defendant Mabel Poston is a necessary party thereto and whereas said plaintiff having by endorsement on said complaint required said defendant to appear in said Court, and answer or demur thereto on the 13th day of May, 1955, the same being the 11th judicial day of a term of said Court, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Indianapolis, on the first Monday of May, 1955, said plaintiff and the matters and things therein contained and alleged will be heard and determined in her absence. H. Dale Brown, Clerk. 3/19/55.

Henry J. Richardson, Jr., Atty. NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION In the Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana. In the Matter of the Estate of John A. Edmondson, deceased. Estate Docket 165, Page 60853. Notice is hereby given that May Pearl Edmondson was on the 11th day of March, 1955, appointed Administrator of the estate of John A. Edmondson, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not due, must file the same in said Court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or said claim will be forever barred. Dated at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 11th day of March, 1955. H. Dale Brown, Clerk. 3/19/55.

Charles D. Walker, Atty. NOTICE ON FINAL ACCOUNT, ETC., TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF GRAND RANSOME Known as Grant Ransome In the Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana. March Term, 1955. In the matter of the estate of Grand Ransome, known as Grant Ransome, deceased. Estate Docket 162, Page 59651. Notice is hereby given that Carlisle J. Hughes as Administrator of the above named estate, has presented and filed his final account in final settlement of said estate and petition for distribution, and that the same will come up for the examination and action of said Probate Court, on the 21st day of March, 1955, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear in said Court and show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be approved. And the heirs of said decedent and all others interested are also required to appear and make proof of their heirship or claim to any part of said estate. Carlisle J. Hughes, Personal Representative, H. Dale Brown, Clerk. 3/5/55.

Alfred Fischer, Atty. NOTICE ON FINAL ACCOUNT, ETC., TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM E. RICE In the Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana. March Term, 1955. In the matter of the state of William E. Rice, deceased. Estate Docket 158, Page 58258. Notice is hereby given that Max M. Plessner as Administrator of the above named estate, has presented and filed his final account, in final settlement of said estate and petition for distribution, and that the same will come up for the examination and action of said Probate Court, on the 21st day of March, 1955, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear in said Court and show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be approved. And the heirs of said decedent and all others interested are also required to appear and make proof of their heirship or claim to any part of said estate. Max M. Plessner, Personal Representative, H. Dale Brown, Clerk. 3/5/55.

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Henry J. Richardson, Jr. NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE BY COMMISSIONER State of Indiana, County of Marion, ss: In the Marion Superior Court, Room 3. Cause No. B-95178. Mattie Nixon vs. George Oates, Jr., and Alberta Oates, Administratrix of the Estate of George Oates, Jr. Comes now the duly appointed and qualified commissioner, William T. Ray, and by Court Order does hereby advertise and offer for sale the following described real estate, to wit: Lot 69 in William Y. Wiley's Subdivision of Out Lot 161 in the City of Indianapolis in Plat Book 1, Page 311, as recorded in the office of the Recorder of Marion County, Indiana. Notice is further given that said real estate shall be sold for cash at private sale for not less than the full appraised value, free of all liens and incumbrances, except 1954 taxes due and payable in 1955. Said real estate shall be offered for sale at the Law Office of Henry J. Richardson, Jr., at 157 N. Illinois Street, Room 208, Indianapolis, Indiana at 9 o'clock A. M. on Friday the 25th day of March, 1955, and said sale shall continue until said property is sold in accordance with the court order of sale. and Wilbur Grant, Atty. 3/19/55.

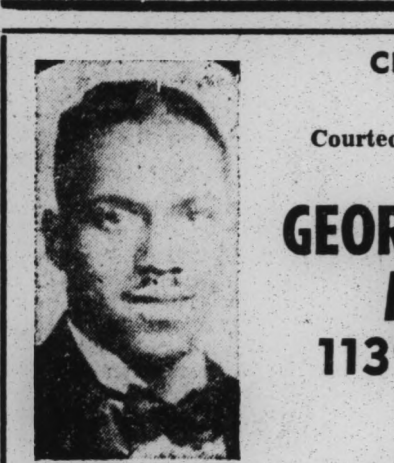
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# Teen Talk

By THE SNOOPER

Greetings, gates! Spring is in the air, and young men's fancies are lightly turning, assisted by a few twists of the arm by the young ladies, whose fancies turned during the winter. It looks like it's going to be a gay, mad spring, with deals bursting out all over faster than buds burst into bloom on the spring trees. Will they die as fast? Let's wait and see.

Meanwhile, let's see who's been sneaking ahead of time, not waiting for Spring to cast its magic spell. A little birdie tells me that Sharon Betty and Patricia Baynham haven't got a ghost of a chance with Bob Williams and that they might as well forget him and find someone new, because Bob and Mona Sloan are strictly made for each other. It seems no one can come between them.

Bill Scott and Mary Phillips are cooling it as ever. Keep up the

good work, you two. The same applies to James Coleman and Willa Watkins, who are playing it cool as cucumbers. Hazel Phillips and Verne Thomas are still goggle-eyed over each other.

Speaking of eyes, Oscar Robertson and cute Wanda Thomas have eyes for each other. I hear, and Willie Merriweather and Leslie Walker aren't exactly closing theirs, as far as each other is concerned. Sharon Suber still has eyes for Richard Jeter, and

probably always will have Right Richard?

**HAVE YOU HEARD** that that charming female named Beverly Jean Hardister and Donald Bey have at last gifted apart? Watch out, girls! Also, you'd better watch out for Robert "Babe Killer" Blakenore—he's on the loose again. What's this I hear about James Omega of Shortridge having a telephone romance with Shirley Prewton, one of the East-side's most fabulous babes? Put me straight!

David Lockett has only one earth angel, and that is Mary Garrison. I hear. That must mean that Lula Williams is completely out of the picture. Or does it? All that stuff about Raymond Brewer and Lenora Digbie is strictly in the past. I understand she is steady cooling it at Shortridge and has her eyes on a real cool stud who just might be returning the compliment. Right Lenora?

It seems that Jean Terrell kinda likes Albert Crowe. And Robert Bennett doesn't like it! Give the poor boy a chance, Jean! Yvonne "Bunny" Ross and Ralph "Bug" Duncan are still cooling it. Carry on, kids. Those in the know say Robert Davenport should realize he can't keep it a secret about the way he feels about Anita Burnley.

THAT WAS A REAL CRAZY party Freeman Martin gave at Jordan Hall, wasn't it? Thomas

Livery and Marie Jeter were really making headlines, while Joe Monroe was spending his time talking to Joyce Martin. Keep talking, Monroe—you just may get somewhere.

Also having a great time were Marshall Terrell and Susie Martin, and Josie Terrell and John Horner were really enjoying themselves. Marcia Warfield and Willard Miller were having barrels of fun, while Freeman was being the perfect host—cutting up with ALL the chicks. How'd it happen Jean Terrell was there alone?

Helen Parker, what's this we hear about you and Ben Allen? Is it love? Yep, that's what we thought. Alfretta Burton and John Wilkie are really two love birds, and I also hear that Linda Baker and Kenneth Barnett are killing for each other. Keep the work up, kids.

**MARSHA DAVENPORT**, we hear that you have eyes for Albert Crowe. Is that true, kid? Don't you think you might be a mite-bit young? Dickie Kimbrew says the flame in his heart burns for the one and only Willa Wright. Wonder if she will put this flame out or continue to let it burn. Gerry Smith is trying very hard. Say, Charles Johnson, instead of you driving your Buick, it has driven you—completely out of Deanna's mind. But I suppose Charles Thompson's Chevrolet is doing the same thing to him, so go on and cool the ribs in your convertible. From out on the Southside we hear that Lauren Morman has another stud by the name of

Michael Waters. Cool it, kids. That cute little queen Jo Anne Stewart and Michael Ellis are still hitting it off. I hear, I guess she wasn't singing "Pledging My Love" for nothing! Right, Jo Anne. It seems as if Helen Morman has found another guy. What do you say about that, Robert Fields? Willie Smith, who are you killing for these days? I know someone who wants to know.

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